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HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, AUGUST 8, 1941.

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Here in HONDO

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

If
You
Would
Like to
Read our story,
"Men Marooned",
You can get it now
In a bound volume
OF FARMING for only 50c.
The bound volume and FARMING
Sent to you for two years for
\$1.00.

Ice Cold Candy Bars at FLY
DRUG CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nietenhoefer
were Tarpley visitors Tuesday.

Child's Silver Cups, Baby Spoons
and Baby Gift Sets at FLY DRUG
CO.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Holmes of
Leakey visited relatives here last
Wednesday.

Mrs. H. B. Hubert of San Marcos
spent the week-end with her mother,
Mrs. L. J. Brucks.

Get better Cleaning and pressing at
V. HORACE CROW'S Model
Cleaners. Phone 125.

Miss Willie D. Fly of San Marcos
spent the week-end with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fly.

Fresh Peach Ice Cream, 35c quart;
Pints 20c. We make our own Ice
Cream. FLY DRUG CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Windrow of
Goliad spent the week-end with her
mother, Mrs. Lena Sauter.

REXIPIN relieves discomfort of
colds, headaches, muscular pain.
WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Wofford of
Runge visited in the home of Jack
Sharp and family over the week-end.

Private Harvey Stein from Camp
Bowie at Brownwood, Texas, visited
friends near Hondo over the week-
end.

Mrs. Herbert Lamb and young son,
Ross King, of Houston are visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P.
King.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey and lit-
tle daughter, Marianne, of Hebron-
ville spent the week-end with home-
folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crow left the
first of the week on a motor trip out
West and were in Alpine when last
heard from.

FOR SALE—Soda Fountain,
\$500. Will trade for clear Hondo
property. Arthur Halbert, North
Uvalde, Texas. 2tc.

Mr. Albert H. Sprenger and son,
Albert Jr., were out from San An-
tonio Saturday visiting here and at
their ranch.

ONE-CENT WALL PAPER SALE.
Starting Friday, August 15, for one
week only. ALAMO LUMBER
COMPANY.

Mrs. J. M. Finger and son, Jerome
spent several days the first of the
week with Mr. and Mrs. John Finger
Jr. at Laredo.

U. S. FORMULA NO. 62 FLY
SMEAR and WORM KILLER, gal-
lons, ½ gallons, quarts and pints at
FLY DRUG CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Welton Meyer will
have as their guests this week-end
his nieces, Misses Ruth and Doris
Mae Zerr, of Sabinal.

Mrs. L. C. Whitehead and children
of San Antonio were guests of her
mother, Mrs. Lena Sauter, and other
relatives last week-end.

Did you know that 50c will cover
the cost of cleaning and pressing
your suit at V. HORACE CROW'S
MODEL CLEANERS? tf.

For relief of the discomfort of
Heat Rash, Ivy or Oak Poison, Insect
Bites, Sunburn use GYPSY CREAM.
WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker, Mrs.
Roland Burge and Miss Lillian Burge
of San Antonio were guests of Mrs.
Amanda Muennink Sunday.

FOR RENT—600-acre native
grass pasture for grazing cattle on-
ly; 14 miles north of Hondo on Ban-
tera Road, MRS. MINNIE FUOS. tf

Rev. C. Garcia, pastor of St.
John's and Our Lady of Sorrows
churches, is attending a special
training school in San Antonio this
week.

Billy Alexander of San Antonio
spent several days with John Henry
Jennings. The two boys were class-
mates last year at Baylor Universi-
ty in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. H. Bulgerin
spent several days in San Antonio
the past week. Mrs. Bulgerin is on
three weeks vacation from the Tele-
phone Company.

Nema Capsules for stomach worms
in live stock, and Kreso Dip and
Sorens. Shipment just received at
WINDROW DRG STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kollman and
daughter, Norma Zane, Mr. and Mrs.
Emmett Kollman and Miss Eloise
Kollman left Wednesday for Garner
Park where they will enjoy a sev-
eral days' outing.

FIRE DEPARTMENT NOTES

Fire Chief L. A. Mechler is in re-
ceipt of complimentary letter from
A. C. Hedges, Acting Director of the
Firemen's Training School at Texas
A. and M. College. He congratu-
lated the Hondo Volunteer Fire De-
partment for realizing the impor-
tance of a trained and efficient fire
department in protecting the lives
and property of our citizens. The
local company was represented by
Curtis C. Strackbein and Howard
Huesser at the twelfth session of
the Texas Firemen's Training School
at A. and M. which was attended by
590 men representing 292 cities.

Hondo's representatives received
perfect attendance records for the
five days there and on the written
examinations Howard Huesser made
a grade of 92 and Curtis Strackbein
a grade of 96, in a General Course
of Firemanship. As a result, a Cer-
tificate of Merit was sent the Hondo
Volunteer Department. Not only
can the entire company be proud of
this record but will benefit through-
out the department from the train-
ing received. The Field Instructor,
Chief Frank Williams, will make his
usual visits over the state this year
and will assist the firemen in any
problem they may present, growing
out of the training at the School.

Perhaps greater now than ever be-
fore is the need for cooperation with
the Fire Department by the people it
protects and serves. With a new
and modern fire-proof building un-
der way and the ever-present neces-
sity to keep fire-fighting equipment
up to par, there is a bigger drain on
the department's treasury. To help
ease the strain, the firemen are put-
ting on their eighth semi-annual
street dance and carnival Saturday
night, August 30, in Hondo. Milton
L. Mechler, Chairman of Publicity,
has window cards and posters out
advertising the event, tickets sales
are already under way, and a cordial
invitation to the celebration is found
on the front page of this paper. Chairman Milton Heyen has secured
the Blue Ridge Play Boys to furnish
the dance tunes, and Chairman Harry
Filleman has his committee busy
soliciting premiums for the keno
stand. Other committees will be
pressed into service as the big night
approaches. "Come and have a good
time and help a good cause."

Last Thursday night the Hondo
Volunteer Fire Company held its last
meeting in the old fire house which
is now in the process of being razed.
The fire trucks will be spotted at
strategic points in town until the
new station is completed. The siren
was moved Saturday to a stand in
the alley near Mask's Blacksmith
Shop. In the meantime the firemen
will hold their meetings in the Her-
man Sons' hall over Carle's Con-
fectionery. To capture the historic
moment of the last meeting in the
old firehouse, Benny Crow took
several pictures of the group in front
of the station. * * *

Along with the demolition of the
old firehouse will be the disposal
of outmoded equipment. The Fire
Company is offering for sale to the
highest bidder the Model T Ford
chemical truck which was the first
fire engine owned by the company.
All bids must be in by next Thurs-
day night, August 14th. Interested
parties may see the truck at the L.
A. Mechler shop.

MEN RESPOND TO CALL FOR CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Between fifty and sixty men re-
sponded to the call for a mass meet-
ing Monday night, August 4, at the
courthouse for the purpose of discus-
sing a civilian defense program.
Plans to organize a Home Guard
were passed until a more opportune
time, depending on three factors.
These are the continued demand on
the services of the National Guard,
availability of training equipment
and supplies, and a more pressing
need for the Unit in case of domes-
tic disturbances.

However, it was considered feasi-
ble to organize an Observers Corps
in the Aircraft Warning Service,
and as this comes under the jurisdic-
tion of the county commissioners' courts, the meeting was turned over
to County Judge Arthur H. Rothe.
He explained the procedure of or-
ganizing the Observers Corps to be
used in the development of a ten-
sative national aircraft warning ser-
vice. The Commissioners' Court is
to name ten men to serve as a kind
of council. Other steps will be tak-
en as activities develop.

RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS ASKED

Mrs. A. H. Schwes, Red Cross
chairman, requests us to announce
that Red Cross war relief supplies
have been received and will be cut
next week. However, volunteers are
needed to complete the work, which
is now being conducted at the high
school building where eight machines
are available. Assistance has fallen
off in the summer months and if
volunteers are not forthcoming in
the next week the material will have
to be sent uncompleted to Red Cross
headquarters with instructions to
send Medina County no more war re-
lief work.

R. C. A. Radios at FLY DRUG
CO.

MORE ABOUT THE ROAD BOND ISSUE

TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
2300 Roosevelt Avenue, San Antonio, Texas

August 6, 1941.

Honorable Arthur H. Rothe,
County Judge, Medina County,
Hondo, Texas.

Dear Judge Rothe:

Mr. Maddox is confined to the hospital as a result of an automobile
accident and has requested me to write to you relative to the location
of Highway U. S. 90 through Hondo, which you recently discussed with
him.

He requests that you be advised that the Highway Department will
first improve Highway U. S. 90 through Hondo at such time as funds
are available and the work authorized, provided Medina County will
obtain and furnish right-of-way of sufficient width as requested by the
Highway Department, and also that Medina County will agree prior to
the construction of the route through Hondo to furnish the right-of-
way for a by-pass route if and when traffic conditions require the con-
struction of a by-pass route after completion of the route through
Hondo.

Very truly yours,

H. S. KERR, Senior
Resident Engineer.

The foregoing letter is self-ex-
planatory, and needs no elucidation
here.

We would much prefer that the
road bond proposition were put up
to the voters with a specific guaran-
tee that the right-of-way through
Hondo will be provided in such man-
ner as to make it acceptable and as-
sure its permanency on its present
location.

Future developments of the town
could then proceed unhampered by
the fear that some future change
would upset property values.

But we have put the voting ahead
of the assuring, and next Tuesday
the taxpayers must say by their
ballots whether they will take it or
leave it; whether they will pledge
\$100,000.00 of their money for the
road improvements as promised.

Ones course should be governed by
what they intelligently believe to be
to the best interests of the commu-
nity as a whole—and all who are en-
titled to vote should do so.

A full and free expression of all
should satisfy all for then the ma-
jority, as made and provided by law
—in this case to carry two-thirds
must favor—will prevail.

If any considerable number fail
or refuse to vote neither side will be
satisfied with the result.

For your convenience, here are the
places where you are to vote:

The said election shall be held at
the following named places within
said Road District Number 1 of Me-
dina County, Texas, and the follow-
ing named officers are hereby ap-
pointed officers of said election:
Precinct No. 1, at Courthouse, V.

P. King, Presiding Judge, H. H.
Decker, F. A. Martin and Geo. Koch,
Judges.

Precinct No. 2, Quihi at School
House, Robert Riff, Presiding Judge,
Emil Saathoff, Edwin Wiemers and
Alf. Boehle, Judges.

Precinct No. 4, Verde at School
House, H. H. Saathoff, Presiding
Judge, and W. J. Saathoff, Judge.

Precinct No. 16, South Hondo at
O. H. Miller's Office Bldg., A. L.
Haegelin, Presiding Judge, Felix Ba-
tot, Adolph Graff and Jim Clements,
Judges.

Precinct No. 17, Upper Hondo, at
School House, Otto Marquis, Pre-
siding Judge, and Edgar Rieber,
Judge.

Precinct No. 18, Elstone, at M.
Hardeman's House, Gus Mann, Pre-
siding Judge, and J. Hy. Riff, Judge.

And here is a sample of the bal-
lot you will be given at the polls:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

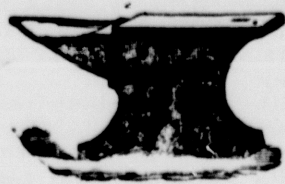
FOR the Issuance of Bonds and the
Levying of an Ad Valorem Tax in
Payment Thereof.

AGAINST the Issuance of Bonds
and the Levying of an Ad Valorem
Tax in Payment Thereof.

COURTHOUSE IMPROVEMENTS TO BE RESUMED MONDAY

The Commissioners' Court of Me-
dina County met Wednesday, August
6th, in a call meeting, conferring
with Mr. Davis of Uvalde, Area Su-
perintendent of the WPA, Mr.
Franks, an experienced rock man and
Assistant Superintendent of Con-
struction, and the County's Repre-
sentative, Mr. Charles Krenmueller,
on matters pertaining to the resump-
tion of the courthouse improvements
work. Men will be assigned their re-
spective jobs Friday and actual work
will be resumed Monday, August
11th.

Work on the courthouse has been
at a standstill for several months,
pending approval of a supplemental
project by the Federal government.
This was made on July 16, and WPA
funds amounting to \$23,244 were
made available to continue the pro-
ject. The WPA area authorities
this week were given the signal to
go ahead.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews
by the
Managing Editor

WE HAVE LOST A FRIEND

Weslaco, Texas, 2:39 a. m.
Aug. 3, 1941.

Fletcher Davis,
Hondo, Texas.
Father passed away at 11:22
P. M.; services here Sunday
evening; burial at Teague Mon-
day evening.
LILLIAN COOPER,
8:55 a. m.

The foregoing telegram, received
early Sunday morning, brought to
the Managing Editor of this paper
the sad news that he had lost one of
the best friends he ever had.

T. S. Minter came to San An-
tonio in March for a bladder oper-
ation; took pneumonia and despite his
83 years was nursed through that;
later withstood the operation; and
for a while hopes were held out for
his recovery. But age and a combi-
nation of ailments were against him,
and after some four months in the
hospital he was sent back to his
home at Weslaco, under care of a
professional nurse, but he lingered
only a few days when death brought
him surcease of suffering.

This writer first came to know Mr.
Minter in 1917, when we were asso-
ciated in the same line of work for
the Department of Agriculture. A
promotion to the head of the Market-
ing Division came to him in the
spring of 1919, and he asked for our
transfer from the Institute Division
to his division, and made us his of-
fice assistant. News of this promo-
tion came to us in a personal letter
from him received when we were in
the hospital with a broken hip and in
doubt as to whether we would ever
walk again. He held the place open
from some time in March or April
until mid-June when we hobbled into
the Department between crutches
and took our place at the desk as-
signed to us. From then until the
change of administration in January
1921, we were intimately associated
every day. If he was ever displeased
with the help we tried to render
him he was generous enough to hide
it. The position, aside from afford-
ing better compensation, gave us
contacts and experience of inestim-
able value. We have ever since felt
deeply grateful to him.

And now he is gone and we deeply
feel our loss. Four-score and three
years, he had lived a long life and a
full life—a life full of such gener-
osity as he extended this writer be-
stowed upon others too numerous to
recount.

Yes, we have lost a FRIEND—a
FRIEND in that sense of worth, of
confidence, of appreciation, of af-
fection that can only be felt—never
adequately expressed.

MEDINA COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS

The first meeting of the Medina
County Council of Home Demonstra-
tion Clubs with Miss Velma Hamble-
ton, new Medina County agent, was
held Saturday afternoon, August 2,
in Hondo. There were 14 members
and three visitors present.

The Council voted to hold annual
Exhibit Day on September 27, 1941.

The delegates gave reports on the
trip to Short Course, speaking on the
subjects of dressing tables and
stools; ways of decorating; a com-
plete wardrobe, inexpensive but what
is needed for a normal life; alumi-
num collection for National Defense,
each to do his or her part in this
drive; balanced diet for stronger and
healthier bodies; electric devices for
home use; landscaping for more
beautiful and convenient homes.

Miss Hambleton gave a very in-
teresting talk on extension work, dis-
cussing the importance of boosting
home demonstration work, work on
radio scripts, Red Cross work, and
plans for the 1942 year books.
—Reporter.

GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Haass were
pleasantly surprised by their child-
ren and grand-children, with a bas-
ket dinner, Sunday, at their home
near Dunlay, in honor of their gold-
en wedding anniversary.

At noon, the basket lunches were
spread in the shade of a big oak tree,
where a delicious dinner was en-
joyed.

After a very pleasant day every
one departed for home.—Contrib-
uted.

Cory Glass Coffee Brewers at
FLY DRUG CO.

COME TO HONDO'S 8th SEMI-ANNUAL FIREMEN'S STREET DANCE



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HONDO, TEXAS, AUGUST 8, 1941

Washington Snapshots by JAMES PRESTON

Typical of Washington is the way in which tax measures designed to raise added revenues for defense, which seemed to be going along as swimmingly as could be expected, have come a cropper in the last week or so. And the reason for all this is as curious as it is unfortunate.

The progress of the new tax bill was upset by the injection into the House Ways and Means Committee of highly controversial material coming directly from the Administration as "must" legislation.

Included among the "musts" listed by the Administration were even stiffer levies on industry, which was already heavily taxed and in line to be taxed still more heavily under the terms of the original measure. It is believed by many who ought to know that these steps would have a disastrous effect upon many business concerns, included in that category being some of the most enterprising.

Actually, the gist of the matter is this: Extensive hearings had been held in committee on the proposed new tax legislation. Experts from many fields had the opportunity to present their case. Then suddenly, after a bill had been drafted on the basis of all this discussion, the White House "musts" were tossed into the situation like eggs into a revolving fan.

In other words, the introduction of the tax "musts" was a last minute thought—or lack of it. Meanwhile the taxpayer awaits a decision and wonder what his fate will be.

—WSS—
A congressional committee, in reporting a new Army appropriation bill is quoted as declaring that among those who deserve Congressional thanks are "our peerless industrialists and those of their work forces who have responded magnificently" to the needs of defense.

This startled one Southern editor to the extent that he sat down and wrote the following comment:

"One can almost see the embattled business leaders, rising warily to enquire, 'Who dat sed who dat?' One can forgive them their natural suspicions. But it may be a good sign. There may actually be a change of heart high in administration centers."

Of course the editor in question expressed that hope before the above-mentioned tax bill changes were suggested by the Administration. If he had had the opportunity to observe the short-notice attempt to reverse carefully studied legislation, one wonders whether his comment on the general situation would have been quite so optimistic!

—WSS—
WASHINGTON SIDELIGHTS: You've all heard of sectionalism in politics. It is frequently a dangerous force, destructive of what is good for the nation as a whole. But in the following Congressional exchange among three members (who shall be identified here only as Congressmen A, B, and C) it was merely comic. The subject is location of new defense plants:

Rep. A: "I respectfully submit that, outside of California, there is not a single plant west of the Mississippi River. It seems that the Mississippi River is the dividing line."

Rep. B: "The gentleman is in error because many of them go to Chicago."

Rep. C: "Chicago is not west of the Mississippi River, may I inform the gentleman..."

—WSS—
With all the talk about "gasless Sundays" that is now being heard, this might be a good time to remember the wry comment being credited here to newspapers in one foreign city that is under totalitarian domination. These ism-fearing papers are reported as saying that the height of luxury in their country is to "spill a drop of oil and wipe away the spot with gasoline!"

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INFORMATION FOR DRAFTEES

General J. Watt Page, State Selective Service Director, today again urged Texas' local boards to make certain that no man is called for direct military training who is more useful to the national defense program in his civilian occupation.

Stressing the need for this careful selection and the necessity for maintaining an adequate reservoir of professional and technical specialists, General Page said:

"While the selection of men for service in the armed forces is essential to the national defense, it is equally important that there be no interference with the production of defense supplies and materials. We must feed and clothe the military forces, as well as preserve the morale of the civilian population by protecting public health and general welfare."

"There are hundreds of places where the hand of man is needed to produce arms, munitions, tanks, trucks, and airplanes. Vitally important is the fact that from our mines we must produce the minerals from which a mechanical army fashions its weapons. According to a recent survey made by the Office of Production Management, the supply of manpower in the field of engineering, including trained technicians and specialists in mining and metallurgy, is at a 'dangerously low' level."

"We must make a careful and intelligent investigation of every registrant to be sure in each case that a call to military training will not interfere with equally important civilian work for national defense. Local Boards must give full weight to the provisions of the Selective Service Regulations dealing with the claims for occupational deferment of 'necessary men' engaged in activities necessary to the national defense, INCLUDING THOSE NECESSARY TO DEFENSE PRODUCTION."

INFORMATION FOR DRAFTEES

Selective Service registrants in Texas today were urged by the State Director, General J. Watt Page, to learn the fundamental physical standards of the Nation's armed forces, consult their doctors and dentists to determine whether they conform to these standards, and to have remedial defects corrected prior to examination by local board physicians.

Pointing out that such action by registrants would constitute a distinct service to their country and to the individual registrant, General Page said that the men could not, of course, be expected to learn highly technical details of the standards. However, he said, they can acquaint themselves through their local boards with the basic requirements and, upon consultation with their own physicians or dentists, determine whether they are physically qualified according to the general standards.

Although the local boards and the armed forces are the final judges of a registrant's fitness, the Director stated, registrants would be able, by following the suggested course, to make some determination of their chances of induction as physically fit without waiting to be called before a local board physician. Furthermore, he emphasized, men who learn they have physical defects and have remediable ones corrected so as to qualify themselves for training will render patriotic service to their country and improve their own health.

He said:

"Learn the minimum physical requirements as laid down by the Selective Service Regulations."

"Consult your family doctor or dentist, one or both, if you discover or suspect that you fall short of what is demanded of you."

"Follow their advice; let them put you back into condition if arrangements can be made on a mutually satisfactory basis—if not, let them direct you to the nearest clinic, hospital, or social service agency best suited to your particular needs."

"If registrants will assure themselves that they conform to the general standards of physical fitness, they will be taking a material step toward preparing themselves for training for our Nation's armed forces."

DEVINE NEWSLETS

The Devine News. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MAY CALL PASTOR

Rev. L. V. Garrison, pastor of Hondo Baptist church, preached two interesting sermons at First Baptist church last Sunday; coming here directly from the Alto Frio Encampment, he being business manager of the encampment. It was announced last Sunday, that the church will hold a business session next Sunday, 11:00 A. M. and probably decide which, if any, of the four men recently invited to preach here, may be called to serve the church.

YANCEY

Mr. Lucian Ward was called to San Marcos one day last week on account of his father having to undergo an operation. At last hearing, his father, Mr. P. S. Ward, has been improving rapidly.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Mary Grunewald assembled at her home Sunday, the occasion being that her brother, Emil Hardt, and family of Detroit, Michigan, were here for a two weeks' visit. Dinner was served at her home which she has had remodeled recently. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Grunewald of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Ernest Hardt and family of Brum, Mr. Albert Hardt and family of Moore; also relatives and friends of Hondo enjoyed the day with them.

Lawrence Wilson, who is serving in the army at San Antonio, visited his folks last week-end.

We are glad to report Mrs. Harrison Wilson convalescent after her operation.

Mr. L. F. McCollum and family of Tulsa, Oklahoma, left for their home Sunday, accompanied by Miss Pauline McAnelly, who will visit with them several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kollar and children of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Gilson Sunday. Kollar is filling a job as barber in the army camp and recently married.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gilson of Marshall stopped for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gilson one day last week. Their little daughter is visiting with the grandparents during vacation.

Mrs. W. Ward and son, Ray, left Monday for their home in Freer. Mrs. Ward spent several weeks on their farm here putting up canned fruits and vegetables.

Mrs. Joe Hill and daughter, Betty, returned from Mathis Monday where they had visited for several weeks with her parents.

J. D. Burgin was here from San Antonio Saturday on business.

Aubrey Evans and family attend-

RAYE

"PHANTOM COWBOY"—Friday and Saturday, western action picture featuring Don "Red" Barry in a series of thrilling adventure, romance and gun-play.

"ONE NIGHT IN LISBON"—Sunday and Monday, romantic comedy with Fred MacMurray and Madeline Carroll heading a sparkling cast composed of Patricia Morison, Billie Burke, John Loder, Edmund Gwenn, and Billy Gilbert. MacMurray, an impetuous Texan, flies American bombers to Britain, where he falls in love with a high-bred English girl. Their whirlwind romance and courtship in the face of war conditions furnishes the plot.

"CAUGHT IN THE DRAFT"—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, comedy starring Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour and a cast composed of Lynne Overman, Eddie Bracken, Clarence Kolb and Paul Hurst. Bob Hope enacts the role of a motion picture star whose allergy to firearms is surpassed only by his apprehension of the impending draft. Deciding that marriage is his only haven, he selects, of all people, an army colonel's daughter as the victim. But the plot miscarries and he, with his stooge and his agent, finds himself in uniform and in his prospective father-in-law's command. From then on his troubles multiply.

ed the Alto Frio Encampment last Saturday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Boggers were there for the day.

Theodore Wiemers of Elstone community was here Saturday on business.

Mrs. L. F. Faseler had a host of visitors Sunday, their daughter, Ima, nieces, Misses June and Glenna Ruth Brantley, Mr. Luther Baker and cousins whose names we failed to get.

Miss Ethel Grunewald of San Marcos spent several days with her mother, while Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hardt of Detroit were here.

BIRY

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biry and Mrs. Alice Littleton and Shirley and Miss Vick Love spent Sunday at Alto Frio Encampment.

Mr. Rudolph Posch spent the week-end at Alto Frio with his son, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Posch.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bendele and daughter spent Sunday at Castroville.

Mr. Frank Bilhartz and son from San Antonio spent the week-end with Mr. Ed. Bader.

Mr. C. C. Godden and son, Amzie, spent Friday in Hondo.

Mrs. D. H. Carl and daughter, Mrs. Earl Sullivan, and son spent a few days at Waxahachie.

Mrs. Louisa Bilhartz and daughter, Mrs. Alice Ryan, spent a few days in San Antonio.

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DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Monday, August 4, 1941

San Antonio, Aug. 4.—HOGS, Estimated salable and total receipts 700. The week's initial session in the hog division found trade fairly active and mostly 35¢ higher than Friday. Good and choice 180-300 lb. butchers cashed mainly at \$10.60, although a few deals developed at \$10.50. Comparable grade 160-180 lbs. earned \$10.25-10.60. Most sows appeared at \$9.60. Scattered lots feeder pigs were slow to move at \$9.00-9.25.

CATTLE: Estimated salable and total receipts 2,200; CALVES, salable 1,800, total 2,100. Moderate activity developed in slaughter steer and yearling trade Monday with prices generally steady. Common and medium yearlings developed chiefly at \$7.50-9.50 with scattered lots at \$10.00-10.25. A load good 654 lb. short fed yearlings reached \$10.65. Loadlots common and medium grass steers secured \$7.40-\$9.65. A load 1343 lb. weights reached \$10.00. Around three loads 1374 lb. steers caked-on-grass sold to arrive at \$10.10.

Cow trade moved slowly but most sales worked out steady to weak with last week's close. Common and medium selections cleared \$5.75-6.75 with good offerings at \$7.00-7.50. Canners and cutters secured \$4.00-5.75, thin shelly canners down to \$3.50. Sausage bulls found weak to mostly 25¢ lower outlets at \$6.75-7.25, odd head to \$7.50. Cutter and common lightweights dairy descriptions made \$6.00-6.50. Killing calves ruled strong to 25¢ or more higher as good and choice earned \$9.75-10.50, and strictly choice reached \$11.00. Common and medium came in at \$7.50-\$9.75 with culls down to \$7.25.

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The LaCoste Ledger.
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PARISH

Reverend Joseph Schweller, who has been pastor of St. Mary's parish here in LaCoste for the past nine and one-half years, has retired. His successor is Reverend John J. Gerbermann, who comes to us from Leming, Texas.

Our new pastor takes charge of his duties here today, Friday, August 1st.

Alex Conrad from near Devine was a LaCoste visitor Monday.

Alfred Stein from the French Settlement was a LaCoste business visitor last Thursday.

Miss Shirley Griffin spent the week-end with homefolks at Atascosa.

A. F. Rihn from Rio Medina was a business caller in LaCoste Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Hortense Kirby spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Scott of Macdonia.

Mesdames Louis Schott and G. R. Hans from Castroville were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Sunday visitors in the John N. Conrad home near Devine were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Conrad and sons and Mr. Wm. Conrad from San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hutzler and baby were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

August Schott from Castroville was a business visitor in LaCoste Wednesday morning.

Mesdames Hy. Haas and Bru Miller of Hondo spent Thursday with relatives and friends here.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Falkenberg from Castroville were visitors in LaCoste Saturday afternoon.

Miss Theresa Juneman from the Sauz is visiting relatives in San Antonio this week.

Fred Jarge from above Castroville was in LaCoste on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adam from here ised with relatives in Houston a few days this week.

Mr. Joe Adam left Wednesday for Houston, where he accepted employment as a shipbuilder.

Clyde Bader from Three Point was brief visitor in LaCoste Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Hilda Franger and sister, Miss Hattie Bippert, from the Sauz stied relatives at Natalia last Friday.

Miss Charline Mechler is visiting ith her grandmother and aunt, Mrs. ella Jungman, and daughter, Theresa, for some time.

Mrs. Louisa Hitzfelder and Mrs. Adolph Hutzler and daughters, Helen and Anita, were Hondo visitors Friday.

Herman Jaackle Sr. from San Antonio visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Echte and family here Monday.

Mrs. Richard Zinsmeyer and daughter, Elvira, of the Sauz were sitors with Mrs. Otto Jungman Sunday.

Misses Marie and Henrietta Lesang from Macdonia were visitors in LaCoste Saturday morning.

Miss Charline Mechler spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Tondre and sons of LaCoste.

Mrs. Andrew J. Kempf and Mrs. Ibert Biediger from near Castroville visited with Mrs. Jos. Hutzler here last Thursday morning.

Vernor Bippert is spending a few days vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex A. Haby, at Rio Medina this week.

Bernard FitzSimon and son, David, from Castroville were business allers in LaCoste Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rihn and children from Devine were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lamon and children here Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Krueger and children from near San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Haas and son, Oswald, of Hondo spent Sunday at the aus home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe LaMon and baby from San Antonio spent Sunday with Mrs. LaMon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bippert, here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lundy and daughter, Marian, of San Antonio spent Sunday afternoon as the guests of Mrs. Lundy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rihn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schirmer and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackel and Mr. Otto Jackel of Macdonia spent past week in Corpus Christi and ort Aransas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Griggs and granddaughter, little Carolyn Ann rubeck, from Natalia were LaCoste and Castroville visitors last Friday.

Mrs. Henry Salzmann and daughter, Janie, and son, Wilfred, and atty and Gary Griffin visited Mrs. Harold Nester and baby daughter at Hondo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haby from Cliff and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn from here spent several days last week in Alpine and the Davis Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius C. Franklin of Houston are spending several days vacationing in their "Sleepy Hollow Lodge" at Albert Biediger's rove.

Carl Steinle from Camp Boiwe and oe W. Steinle from Cliff visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and daughters here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Halbardier, Mrs. Alois Vetz and daughter, Lois, from San Antonio visited at Castroville and with Mrs. Lloyd Rihn and daughters here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hitzfelder, Mrs. Louisa Hitzfelder, Mrs. Herman Hitzfelder and son, Jerome, attended the funeral of Mr. Louis Hitzfelder in San Antonio last Thursday.

Mrs. A. N. Mangold of Cliff and

Mrs. Clyde H. Mangold from Fort Worth were visitors here with Mesdames Albert Bippert and Frances Wurzbach and other friends Wednesday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Jungman was christened Sunday, July 27, 1941, and named Hallard N. Jungman. Sponsors were Miss Dorothy Jungman and Louis Gross Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lutz and children from D'Hanis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert and sons here. They were accompanied by their daughter, Evelyn, who had spent some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and little Charlis Mangold and Mrs. Frances Wurzbach of San Antonio were visitors with Mrs. Otto Jungman Sunday. Mrs. Wurzbach remained over for a visit with Mrs. Albert Bippert here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nunn took a trip to Georgetown Sunday, July 27. Accompanying them were Misses Velma McCormick and Bernice Otto of Castroville. At Georgetown they spent several hours at San Gabriel Park. Enroute home they stopped over at Austin and San Marcos, sight-seeing. Late in the evening they returned to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nehr and family from D'Hanis and Mrs. Josephine Biediger and little Carolyn Hutzler, who had spent the past week at the Nehr home, were short visitors here Sunday. From here the party went to Goldfinch where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Geyer and son, Edmund Jr. Mrs. Biediger remained for a week's visit.

BARN DANCE

A gala event that was enjoyed by everyone was the barn dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eckhart at their home Saturday night, August 2, 1941. Everyone danced to the music played by The Leinweber Band until midnight, when a delicious supper of sandwiches, cake, cookies and punch was served. After this the dancing continued for another hour, and then all departed after having spent a very pleasant evening.

Those who attended were the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eckhart, and the following: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graff, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. George Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schlenz, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schlenz, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geuea, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nietenhoefer and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Nietenhoefer, Mrs. Emil Graff, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leinweber and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Leinweber and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Etter, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moehring, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Folk, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Schuehle, Mr. and Mrs. Sterl Haby, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Leinweber;

Misses Avonne Etter, Gladys Dorche, Allure Rotterdam, and Elsie, Shirley, Lucille and Annadelle Boehle, Ellen Schlenz, Alice and Mary Emma Graff, Lela Leinweber, Johanna Saathoff, Lucille Nietenhoefer, Doris Mae Etter, Darvine Haby and Vernell Martin;

Messrs. Richard Schwark, Henry Dorche, Joe, Frank William, Ralph, John Henry, George, Lloyd and Arlen Graff, Homer, Hilmer and Elton Leinweber, John Henry and Merlyn Boehle, Reuben Wiemers, Elton and Leslie Schlenz, Carl Fisher, Clarence Boehle, Harold and Wesley Moehring, Chester and John Walsh, Edgar, Lester and Juris Saathoff, Ernest Koehler, Wilkes Martin and Herman Weynand.—Contributed.

THREE BIG DAYS AT JUNCTION

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No auction sale of sheep will be held, but 50 head of registered Rambouillet and Delaine rams will be offered at private treaty.

These three big days will furnish fun and amusement for all. Past horse races and rough rodeo events will entertain during the afternoons, while carnival attractions and dancing on an open air pavilion will furnish amusement at night.

Approximately \$2,000.00 in cash premiums and purses will be offered in the racing and rodeo events.

Admission to the grounds will be free.

SHADOWS

When evening shadows gather A far off spirit calls From a land far and distant, Sweet strains of music falls.

It stole into my room In the evening's gray brocade, And seated at the piano Sang to me while I stayed.

The songs of Paradise Was the ecstasy of thought; When we met in twilight Communion love had wrought.

—GENEVA PEARL DRISKILL.

Balanced farming programs have brought more livestock to Texas blackland counties. In 1925 these counties had 6.8 per cent of the State's total; in 1935 they had 8.7 per cent; and it is estimated 1940 Census Bureau figures will show 9.5 per cent.

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BANDERA NEWS

The Bandera New Era.
MEDINA LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Swanson of Nebraska and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lupton of Austin spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lupton.

Mrs. Frank Tschirhart of Castroville spent several days with the Sebastian Tschirhart family. Stanley Tschirhart returned to Castroville with her.

Gilbert Mazurek, who is stationed at Brownwood, spent several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Letcher and daughter, Estelle, made a business trip to San Antonio Thursday.

Mrs. Emil Sueltenfuss and Mrs. Joe Phillips from Boerne spent Wednesday afternoon in the Sebastian Tschirhart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haby and sons of Rio Medina visited the Arnold Haby family Sunday.

J. G. Letcher of Castroville and Edmund Wurzbach of Rio Medina are visiting the Raymond Letcher family for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zinsmeister and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Louie Zinsmeister and daughter Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wurzbach and children of Rio Medina visited the Sebastian Tschirhart family Sunday.

Rudolph Schott was at Mansfield Park near Bandera Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vawter and baby daughter visited her parents Tuesday.

Mary Alice Spangler of San Antonio is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mazurek and daughter.

Ervin Gazaway and son, Oscar, and a friend from Utopia are fishing at Letcher's Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Liebold and daughter, Betty, were at the show in Bandera Saturday night.

TARPLEY

Mrs. Elzie Dean returned home Wednesday from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Krause, at Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Padgett and son, Bob, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pichot at Hondo Saturday.

Thos. Grant Jr. attended the barbecue at Station C Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Geuea returned Sunday from Hondo where they have been visiting.

Wess York visited friends and relatives in Kerrville over the week-end.

Dorothy Lucille Scheile of Winans Creek visited her aunt, Mrs. A. Slezak, a few days last week.

Mrs. Oscar Coughran and daughters, Lila Mae and Agnes, returned home Tuesday after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Rust at Quemado.

George Riley was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Anderson made a business trip to Hondo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Marquis went to San Antonio Monday.

Messrs. and Mesdames Alfred, Tom and Anton Saathoff of San Antonio visited Mrs. M. L. Saathoff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings and children of San Antonio are spending their vacation with his mother, Mrs. Hattie Billings.

Glenn Coffey left Saturday for Arizona where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scheile and daughter of Winans Creek spent Sunday in the Emil Pressler home.

Bob Anderson of San Antonio spent the week-end with his brother, Milton Anderson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mangold have as their guest, August Mangold, of Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Sandidge of San Antonio visited in the Sandidge home Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Graham and children of Sabinal spent Sunday and Monday with her mother, Mrs. C. Hicks.

Mrs. Utz, Bob O'Bryant and Milton Audere of Utopia visited Mrs. Jim Glass one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield took their daughter, Eva Marie, to San Antonio Monday where she will take a business course.

Mrs. A. A. Fritz was honored with a birthday dinner at her home Sunday. She received many beautiful gifts. Those present to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Karger, Mr. and Mrs. R. Heinen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Benno Pankratz of Comfort, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Oughton and Mrs. H. J. Mesch of San Antonio, Fred Schmidt of Berghelm, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Burger and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schmidt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sprott, Woodrow and Buster Schmidt and A. A. Fritz.

Johnny Schmidt Jr. returned home Saturday after a visit in Berghelm. A birthday dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mrs. R. N. Padgett honoring Miss Sadie Robinson and Mrs. Guy Stewart of Utopia. Thirty-seven guests were present for the occasion.

Misses Mary Schimelpfenig and Inez Moore of Vanderpool attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hausler and son, Travis, attended the Kothman reunion at Mason Sunday.

Lillie Ruth Walton of Medina visited Annie Jo Hicks last week.

Fred Schmidt of Berghelm and Mr. and Mrs. Benno Pankratz of Comfort spent the week-end with Mrs. A. A. Fritz.

Rev. Raymond Bailey and G. T. Sandidge attended the Baptist Encampment at Alto Frio Monday.

Elmer Smith of Temple, Okla., is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Miss Geraldine Mazurek of San Antonio is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Mazurek.

OUR MONTHLY MEDITATION

This beginning of miracles did Jesus in Cana of Galilee, and manifested forth His glory; and His disciples believed on Him. John 2:11.

Jesus was a wedding-guest at Cana. Nothing decently human was strange to Him. He associated with high and low and fitted himself to the occasion without denying or compromising His high moral standards. The danger of contamination through evil associates bore no weight upon His character. It was highly significant that He started His public career at these nuptials, the starting point of a home, an institution that we still consider fundamental for the set-up of society in its various ramifications. It meant approval, dignity and joy to the occasion by His presence. And His coming usually was timed for the right psychological moment. Just when he was needed. And never was He but an innocent bystander, taking but a cold, passive interest in the proceedings. Always had He something to say, something to do, that would make the occasion memorable and remarkable.

We remember what emergency arose at this wedding and how He, prompted less by the pleadings of His mother than His own sympathetic motives, turned the emergency both into the fast removal of the ill veiled anxiety of the young couple and into the glorification of His own person and creative ability. That wine-supply from His resources meant more than merely sustaining the jovial spirit of the festivity. It was His first miracle, opening the portals into an avenue of long series of doings that still baffle and confuse and shy away many.

The immediate and subsequent effect of His action upon the joyous company, and particularly upon those who had inside information, is not recorded. Only the reaction upon the disciples, "His disciples believed on Him." Self-evident, is it not? Why record it that way. But there are many others who stand with a critical mien and a hasty judgment, highly sophisticated and negative. With all the emphasis of modern "enlightenment," they declare: No miracles for me. Their religion shuns anything supernatural. Science, they claim, has done away with miracles. They would be contrary to inexorable and immutable natural laws. They do not fit into present day conceptions and reasonings. Miracles never were nor do they happen today. They are essential to true religion. Only the naive, the ignorant and fanatics believe in them, etc.

Quite an arsenal of arguments. Convincing? Abject surrender of our belief in miracles the next step? Just a few counter-contemplations. "Our thoughts break through the walls of the firmament, not content with knowing but the visible thing." An old heathen said it. Still true, that longing, craving, yearning for something beyond this visible world, something higher, perfect, eternal? Who put that longing in man? The difference between the natural and supernatural or miraculous, what is it? The sun hanging in the sky, billions of tons, without visible support, we see it practically every day, it excites little wonderment. Would we see it but once in a century, most men would style it something supernatural, a miracle. What science has proven the impossibility of miracles? Physics, chemistry, biology, mathematics, mental or natural philosophy? Their sphere of exploration is the visible world. Beyond that, in the supernatural, metaphysical world, their assertions are conjectures without scientific value. And do we know all the inexorable natural laws? How often had these "laws" been revised, due to new findings? And the miracles of creation, of Christ's god-man personality, of His resurrection and ascension, the miracles of prayer performed by an omnipotent God, occurring daily, the miraculous transformation of a wretched good-for-nothing into a useful, happy and well-balanced child of God through the means of grace, do only the naive, the ignorant and fanatics believe in that? Are these conceptions non-essentials for true religion? The disciples believed on Him. It holds good today. And Christ certainly believed in His own miracles. He says, "The works that I do in my Father's name, they bear witness of me." Then at Cana as ever after, "He manifested His glory" for you and for me.

C. W.

Texas ranks first in the manufacture of farm butter with more than 20 percent of the milk produced being used for that purpose. About one fourth of the butter made on farms is a source of cash income. Reports from 164 counties show 1,671,565 pounds were made for home use in 1940. There has been a steady increase of commercial ice cream in Texas and it is estimated upon the basis of output from January to November that 1940 production will exceed the 11,109,000 gallons in 1939 by 8.6 percent. Farm cash income from milk and dairy products has increased more than 50 percent in the past ten years. This has been due mainly to better markets, cheap feed, better pastures, higher production per cow and improvement in quality of products marketed.

The number of milk cows in Texas increased about 100,000 in 1940. This is attributed to better prices for butterfat, dairy cows and dairy heifers. Since 1937, about one half of the cows kept for milk have been bred to beef bulls as a means of offsetting the price spread between beef and dairy products. However, from the number of dairy bulls bought in 1940 it is deduced that cross breeding will be substantially reduced in 1941.

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The Uvalde Leader-News.
UVALDE WOMAN FATALLY INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

One person was fatally injured and four other occupants of the car were hurt when the car in which they were riding was struck by an approaching car and overturned on Highway 90, about five miles east of Sabinal late last Friday afternoon.

Fatally injured was Mrs. Ruthie Mae Howard, wife of R. V. (Bunk) Howard of this city who succumbed in the Medina Hospital at Hondo about one hour after the crash. Her mother, Mrs. Ed J. Connor, also of Uvalde sustained painful injuries about the head and shoulders and was brought to the Merritt Hospital here for treatment. Other occupants of the car, Mr. Connor, and Mrs. Howard's two daughters, sustained only minor injuries.

A car driven by a Camp Bowie soldier, officers said, struck the car driven by Mrs. Howard. The soldier is said to have told officers that the steering mechanism on his car locked and he was unable to avoid the accident.

Mrs. Zula G. Hill and Miss Ima Horton were in San Antonio over the week-end. They visited Mrs. Emmett Pope in Hondo.—Leakey.

Mrs. August Schroeder of Hondo and son, R. W., of El Paso, visited in the homes of Mrs. J. W. Wentworth and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Heard last Thursday. . . .

The Sabinal Sentinel.
TRIO NEWS

Mrs. Oscar Richarz received a message Monday afternoon that the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis, at Rio Frio, was in flames. She left immediately, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Woodie Chapman of Hondo who was visiting her. They found the home almost completely destroyed. Part of the contents had been saved.

Mr. Oscar Richarz and Mr. Howard Spence of Sabinal left early Monday morning for San Angelo to attend the sheep sale.

Miss Jonell Richarz spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Davis, at Rio Frio.

Atascosa County Monitor.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steinle of Somerset visited in the A. N. Steinle home, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Steinle, Mr.

and Mrs. Frank Steinle and Mrs. Donna Smith attended the funeral of Maurice Twomey of San Antonio, Tuesday. . . .

Val Verde County Herald.
Mrs. John Rosenow, who resides on a ranch in the Carta Valley country, was a Del Rio visitor Saturday, coming to meet her son, Hilmer Martin, who has been at Randolph Field but is being transferred to Mather Field at Sacramento, Calif.

NEW AUTO REGISTRATIONS

Aug. 1, Jerold C. Leibhart, Hondo, Chrysler coupe.
Aug. 3, Allen Tillotson, Hondo, Pontiac sedan.
Aug. 2, Meyer Morris, Ford convertible coupe.
Aug. 5, Harvey P. Smith, San Antonio, Ford sedan.
Aug. 5, Otto Neuman, Dunlay, Ford sedan.
July 30, R. W. DePuy, Hondo, Dodge ½ ton truck.
July 25, Oscar Koenig, Devine, Chevrolet truck.
Aug. 2, L. J. Schmidt, Hondo, Ford truck.
Aug. 6, Brucks & Boehle, Hondo, International tank truck.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

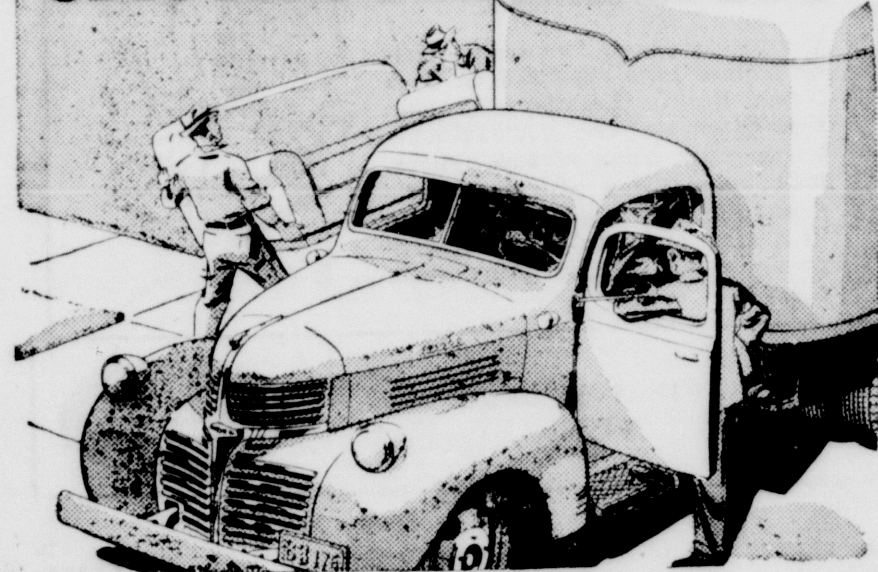
July 30, Teodoro Alanez and Clara Solis.
Aug. 2, R. M. Brazell Jr. and Polly Hammond.
Aug. 3, Stanley M. Lucas and Mrs. Emily S. Ballou.
Aug. 4, Tomas Garcia and Jovita Ramirez.
Aug. 4, Woody Angermiller and Marjorie Paduh.
Aug. 4, Jose Rodriguez Jr. and Teodora Gonzalez.

The University Bureau of Business Research has charted the course of eleven important business factors, to find that only three of them show an unfavorable comparison with this time last year. These factors include: Department store sales, 5.9 per cent higher. Savings bonds purchases, 51.1 per cent higher. Lumber production 17.9 per cent higher, shipments 38.8 per cent higher, month-end unfilled orders, 53.1 per cent higher. Postal receipts 13.6 per cent higher. Employment 4.1 per cent higher. Payrolls 8.3 per cent higher. Automobile sales 34.4 per cent higher. Electric power consumption up 19.9 points. Building permits 3 per cent lower. Commercial failures 27 with total liabilities of \$351,000, compared to 18, with liabilities of \$180,000 a year ago. Charters 72 new firms capitalized at \$1,316,000, compared to 126 capitalized at \$3,010,000 a year ago.

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For paint that stays put see the
HONDO LUMBER CO. tf

GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM
RUGS. LEINWEBER'S.

FOR RENT—An apartment at the
Armstrong Hotel, Hondo. tf

Willie Boehle was a business call-
er at this office Saturday.

WE BUY EGGS. CHAPMAN
MILL AND GRAIN CO., Hondo. tf.

Miss Evelyn Grell had her tonsils
taken out on August 6th at Medina
Hospital.

RED ARROW Eye Bath, Mineral
Oil, Foot Lotion, at WINDROW
DRUG STORE.

Mrs. Frank Nieley of Sabinal under-
went a tonsilectomy on Aug. 3rd
at Medina Hospital.

Don't let insects annoy you at
night. Use insect Repellent lamps,
Sold at FLY DRUG CO.

Armin Bendele was up from the
Dunlay country Monday and paid
this office a business call.

Mr. D. McCrea of Yancey was a
patient at Medina Hospital on Aug-
ust 5th for medical treatment.

SALE PRICE NEGLEY'S FLAT
WALL PAINT, \$1.99 A GALLON.
ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY.

Mrs. A. Yarbrough of San An-
tonio entered Medina Hospital on
August 5th for dental treatment.

Mrs. Alfred Wiemers from near
Yancey entered Medina Hospital on
August 6th for medical treatment.

Mrs. Robert Sittre, one of Castro-
ville's teachers, was a Hondo visitor
Saturday and paid the printers an
appreciated call.

**BATTERIES EVEN LESS THAN
\$2.99 EXCHANGE. ALL BAT-
TERIES FULLY GUARANTEED.
RATH SERVICE STATION.**

Mr. Jerry Braden of Woodward
Ranch was a patient at Medina Hos-
pital on August 5th for medical
treatment of injuries sustained when
he fell off his horse.

Jack Sharp Jr. writes from San
Diego, California, that the U. S.
Navy is okay and that he is pleased
to be doing his bit. He volunteered
for service several weeks ago.

Mr. W. H. H. DuBoise, enroute to
his home at Black Creek from a vis-
it with relatives in Uvalde, stopped
by for a short visit with the printers
Wednesday morning.

With today's conditions, the tires
you buy now may have to last a long
time—so it's good judgment to BUY
THE BEST! Liberal trade-in allow-
ance on new FIRESTONE CHAM-
PION TIRE. RATH SERVICE
STATION, Hondo.

Mrs. Welton Meyer and son,
Charles, spent last week in San An-
tonio as the guest of their cousins,
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mechler, while
Mr. Meyer attended the John Deere
school in that city.

FR. FITZSIMON MADE BISHOP



The Very Rev. Laurence Julius
FitzSimon, chancellor of the San An-
tonio archdiocese, has been named
bishop of the diocese of Amarillo by
Pope Pius XII, according to an an-
nouncement Tuesday by the apostolic
delegate to the United States,
Archbishop Amleto Giovanni Cicognani.

The appointment marks the first
time a native San Antonio arch-
bishop has been elevated to the hierarchy of
the Roman Catholic church. Father Fitz-
Simon was named chancellor here in
April soon after the appointment of
the Most Rev. Robert E. Lucey as
archbishop. He is the third native
Texan to be made a bishop. The other
Texan members of the hierarchy are
the Most Rev. M. S. Garriga,
bishop-coadjutor of Corpus Christi,
and the Most Rev. Sidney Metzger,
auxiliary bishop of Santa Fe. The
diocese of Amarillo is in the province
of San Antonio and Father Fitz-
Simon will remain under the juris-
diction of Archbishop Lucey in cer-
tain ecclesiastical matters.

The bishop-elect was born in 1895
and received his primary education
in the San Antonio parochial school
system. He was educated for the
priesthood at St. Anthony's college
and at the North American college in
Rome.

The bishopric in the Amarillo di-
ocese has been vacant since Archbish-
op Lucey was transferred to San
Antonio.—San Antonio Light.

Father FitzSimon was reared in
Castroville and received his first
schooling in St. Louis parochial
school at that place under the tutelage
of the Sisters of Divine Provi-
dence. He is the son of the late Dr.
and Mrs. John T. FitzSimon of Cas-
troville, and is a brother of Messrs.
Bernard FitzSimon of Castroville
and James FitzSimon of Dunlay.

**WEDDING PLANNED FOR EARLY
AUTUMN**

Sunday's San Antonio Express
carried the following announcement
of interest to friends here:

Mrs. Lloyd Gideon Johnson of San
Marcos announces the engagement
of her daughter, Katherine Lucille,
to Fred William Kingdon, Jr., of
Austin. The wedding will take place
in the early autumn.

Let
Us send
In your renewal
Subscriptions to your papers;
Our commission on most of them
Will pay for Farming for you and
we both profit.

All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S
CONFECTIONERY. tf

Fruits and candies of all kinds, at
CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. tf

Flowers for all occasions. Order
from ROTHE'S CONFECTIONERY.

Two 35c tubes Lifebuoy Shaving
Cream, 70 cent value, for 33c at
FLY DRUG CO.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W.
Speece, at residence opposite north-
west corner of courthouse. tf

Cooper's Cattle Dip, testing fluid
and tablets. Cutter Blacklegol Vac-
cine.—Large supply at WINDROW
DRUG STORE. tf.

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Please remember, we can go any-
where when our services are desired
—day or night. Just ring Phone 75,
and we will attend to everything.—
JNO. A. HORGER, Funeral Director

Mrs. Elmer Haby was a visitor at
this office Friday. She informed us
that her son, Pvt. Howard Haby has
been transferred from Jefferson
Barracks, Mo., to the 24th School
Squadron at Fort Logan, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tillotson and
Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Kollman re-
turned Tuesday night from a motor
trip to West Texas and New Mexico,
in the latter state visiting the Carls-
bad Cavern. They were gone three
days.

Thomas Danie and Jerome Finger
left Wednesday for Houston for
their final examination for entrance
into the U. S. Navy. From there
they will be sent to San Diego, Calif.,
for training. Both boys enlisted for
six years.

Mrs. Murry Stephenson and two
children, Johnnie and Nancy Kay, of
Citellia arrived Sunday to visit Mr.
and Mrs. Geo. R. Carle and other re-
latives here while Mr. Stephenson is
attending a coaches' training school
at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wiemers and
little daughter, Sharon Ann, Mrs.
Geo. R. Bohmfalk, Miss Gladys
Bohlen and Miss Edren Bohmfalk re-
turned Monday from a several days
visit with relatives and friends in
Houston and Galveston.

Dr. W. H. Smith is leaving a week
from today, August 15th, for Omaha,
Nebraska, where he will attend a re-
union of his regiment, the 34th U. S.
Volunteer Infantry, in the Spanish-
American War. He will be accom-
panied by Mr. C. J. Monckhouse and
they plan to be gone about a week.

Miss Judy Lacy of Hondo will be
one of the out-of-town hostesses for
Frost's College Fashion Show to be
held next Monday, August 11, in San
Antonio. She is also one of the hon-
or guests at the College Fashion
Show luncheon to be given Thurs-
day, August 14, in the Anacacho
Room of the St. Anthony Hotel.

Miss Mary Ann Noonan is visiting
Mrs. O'Neil Ford in San Antonio this
week. Mrs. Ford and her mother,
Mrs. Elizabeth O. Graham, entertain-
ed with a breakfast in a downtown
patio Monday morning when they
complimented Miss Noonan and Miss
Mary Frances Dittmar, bride-to-be.
The long breakfast table was decorated
in fruits and nomenclature blossoms.
Covers were laid for 14 guests
which included the mothers of the
honorary guests, Mrs. R. J. Noonan of
Hondo and Mrs. E. H. Dittmar.

Curtis Strackbein, who for the
past year has been employed at the
Alamo Lumber Company, left Sun-
day to take over a similar position
with the same company in Cuero,
Texas. He is being replaced in the
Hondo office by Mr. E. C. Buchhorn
who came here from Goliad. Mr.
Buchhorn has been with the Alamo
Lumber Company for ten years and
as a salesman should be of valued
assistance to Mr. R. R. Corder, man-
ager of the Alamo Lumber Company
in Hondo. Mr. Buchhorn and his
family are located in an apartment
in the Heyen house on City Park.

HONDO RED BIRDS SMEAR
KIDS 24-5; PLAY HERE
SATURDAY

The Hondo Red Birds smothered
Art Veltman's Kids of the City Ma-
jor League under a barrage of 23
base hits Sunday at Richter's Field,
walking off with a 24 to 5 victory.

The Kids got off to a 5 to 0 start
in the first two innings, but the Red
Birds finished up with 15 runs in
the last three innings to salt it away.
Clinton Grell, third baseman for
the University of Texas, hit two
home runs with the bases full and
two doubles for the Red Birds, driv-
ing in 12 runs in all.

The Kids will play the Red Birds in
a return game at the Plaza in Hondo
at 3 P. M. Saturday, August 9th.
This game will be of interest to
Medina County baseball fans, as one
of its native sons, Marvin Franger
of LaCoste, is on the Kids team and
Mitchell Koch of D'Hanis, up until
a recent operation, was also a valued
member of the team.

The following is the box score of
last Sunday's game.

Hondo	2	4	1	5	22	27	6	3
Roth, 2b-c	2	0	2	1	0			
Grell, 3b	6	4	2	4	2			
Parsons, ss	7	3	3	1	0			
Sadler, rf-p	7	3	0	0	2			
Jennings, lf	4	2	2	0	0			
H. Finger, lf	2	0	2	0	0			
S. Hollmig, 1b-rf	7	3	5	0	1			
Embrey, cf	4	3	4	0	0			
Vaughn, c-2b	6	2	4	0	0			
E. Finger, p-rf	3	2	3	0	0			
xBarry	0	0	0	0	0			

Totals 47 22 27 6 3

Veltman Kids—

Name	AB	H	PO	A	E
Braun, cf	5	1	2	0	0
Teal, 1b	2	0	6	1	0
Simon, 2b	3	0	2	2	0
F. Ducos, 3b	4	2	3	1	1
Franger, lf	5	2	1	0	2
Grassel, ss	3	0	4	3	3
Suche, rf	4	1	1	0	0
Cody, c	4	0	7	1	0
Fortune, p	1	1	0	0	0
Anderson, p	2	0	0	1	0
Grossman, p	1	0	1	1	0

Totals 34 7 27 10 5

xRan for Jennings in seventh inn-
ing.

Summary

Runs batted in, Franger 2, Sadler,
Jennings 2, F. Ducos, Roth, Grell
10, Vaughn 3, Parsons 3, Hollmig 2,
two-base hits, Grell 2, Franger, Hol-
lig, Embrey, Parsons; home runs,
Grell 2, Hollmig; stolen bases, Sad-
ler 2, Parsons; double play, Teal to
Grassel to F. Ducos; pitching record,
off Fortune 6 hits, 7 runs in 3 1-3
innings, off Anderson 11 hits 10
runs in 4 1-3 innings, off E. Finger
6 hits 5 runs in 7 innings, off Sadler
1 hit 0 runs in 2 innings, off Gross-
man 5 hits 8 runs in 2 1-3 innings;
base on balls, off Fortune 3, off E.
Finger 2, off Anderson 2, off Gross-
man 4; struck out, by Fortune 3, by
E. Finger 5, by Anderson 2, by Sadler
2, by Grossman 2; hit by pitched
ball, by E. Finger (Grassel, Teal);
winning pitcher, E. Finger; losing
pitcher, Fortune; time 2:45; scorer,
Mechler.

**ATTENDING ASSESSORS TRAIN-
ING SCHOOL**

Tax Assessor James R. Duncan
and two of his deputies, Alfred
Rohrbach and Ward Boehme, are at-
tending a service training course for
assessing officers being conducted
by the Bureau of Municipal Research
of The University of Texas, in the
City Hall in San Antonio from 6 un-
til 9 o'clock on the evenings of
August 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8th, 11, 12,
13, 14th and 15th. The course, be-
ing conducted by Mr. Aldo Jenks,
member of the Bureau staff, covers
assessment laws, decisions of the
courts, terminology, standards of
practice and procedure, real estate,
personal property, intangibles,
boards of equalization, and the like.
It is free to those who wish to avail
themselves of the opportunity of ob-
taining a liberal education in tax-
ation and certificates will be issued by
the State Board of Vocational Educa-
tion to all assessors who are in at-
tendance at 80 per cent of the
classes.

The course is being offered by the
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as Municipalities, the State Board
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The Tax Collector's office reports
90 per cent plus of the 1940 taxes
were collected as of June 30th past,
and less than 10 per cent left delin-
quent. This is the third consecutive
year in which this record has been
made.

Miss Evelyn Knopp attended a
house party in Smithville last week-
end. She arrived home Thursday, ac-
companied by Miss Ruth Hill of
Smithville, Misses Dot and Martha
Laney of Camden, Arkansas, and
Miss Martha Jeanne Atkinson of Lit-
tle Rock, Arkansas, who will be her
guests for several days.

The fairer sex held the field
against all comers for the past four
weeks at the Medina Hospital, ac-
cording to Mrs. Mary Cook. She re-
ports that in that time eleven baby
girls were born at the local hospital
and no boys until the past week
when three of the "other sex" dared
to put in an appearance.

Mr. A. C. McSpadden, of Califor-
nia, who has been in Medina Hospital
since July 11 with injuries sustained
in an automobile wreck, was able to
be moved by ambulance to the home
of a brother in Teague, Texas,
Thursday of this week. Mr. McSpad-
den, who suffered a fractured skull
and internal injuries, was near death
for several weeks.

Edward A. Weynand, and his son,
Edward J., were over from D'Hanis
Tuesday on business. Mr. Weynand
was home from a several weeks' stay
at the Veteran's Hospital near Ker-
ville and was preparing to return
for another stay. Mr. Weynand is
suffering from what seems to be a
stubborn case of rheumatism. His
friends wish for him an early and
permanent recovery.

Mrs. J. E. Allen received a joyous
surprise Sunday, July 27, on the oc-
casion of her 76th birthday anniver-
sary. Her children and several
grandchildren came to see her to
help celebrate the occasion. They
were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen of
Bandera, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Martin
of Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry G.
Bendele of Fort Clark and their
guest, Miss Mary Ruth Fletcher of
Kingsville, Herbert Allen Bulgerin
of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs.
H. S. Bulgerin, Johnny Martin,
Miss Lilly Allen and Mrs. Callie
Bendele.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schweers re-
turned last Thursday night from a
two weeks' vacation which took them
on a tour of both the South and the
West. They first attended the Lions
International Convention at New
Orleans, La., and from there went
on a motor drive through the south
as far as Florida. They came back
by way of Houston, Texas, where
they visited relatives and were ac-
companied home by J. L. Koch. After
spending one night here in Hondo
they left with their guest for
West Texas and New Mexico, visit-
ing Carlsbad Cavern before turning
homeward.

We have been requested to an-
nounce that the United States Civil
Service Commission announces open
competitive examinations for the fol-
lowing positions for employment in
the War Department, Air Corps, San
Antonio, Abilene, Ellington Field
(Genoa), Harlingen, Lubbock, Mid-
land, Mission, San Angelo, Sherman,
Victoria and Wichita Falls, Texas;
Barksdale Field (Shreveport), Baton
Rouge, Lake Charles and New Or-
leans, Louisiana; and at such other
localities as vacancies may occur in
various branches of the Government
service in Louisiana and Texas:
Junior Aircraft Engine Mechanic,
Junior Aircraft Instrument Mechanic,
Junior Aircraft Electrician, Junior
Aircraft Mechanic, Aircraft
Welder, Aircraft Woodworker, Junior
Sheet Metal Worker, Junior Aircraft
Sheet Metal Worker, Wire Worker
(Aviation) and Aircraft Painter.
Applications may be filed until fur-
ther notice with the Secretary, Board
of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, San
Antonio Air Depot, Duncan Field,
San Antonio, Texas. Further in-
formation and application forms may
be obtained from the Secretary,
Board of U. S. Civil Service Exami-
ners, at any first- or second-class
post office in the states of Louisiana
and Texas.



FRIDAY - SATURDAY

August 8th-9th
DON "RED" BARRY in—
"Phantom Cowboy"

Also New Episode of
"Captain Marvel"

And a Short Subject
"ISLE OF MYSTERY"

SUNDAY - MONDAY

August 10th-11th
Madeleine CARROLL
Fred MACMURRAY
—in—
"One Night in Lisbon"

Lisbon... the escape valve of Europe
at war... becomes the playground
for a moon-struck aviator and the
girl he loves.

Also Short Subject
"ON THE SPOT"

TUESDAY - WEDNES-
DAY - THURSDAY

August 12th-13th-14th
BOB HOPE DOROTHY LAMOUR
—in—
"Caught in the Draft"

He got into the army accidentally
and it's hard to tell which took
a worse beating... Bob Hope or the
Draft Board.

Also News Reel and Short Subject
"ZERO, THE HOUND"

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SATURDAY: Matinee, 2:30 P. M.
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Texas 4-H Club girls added 7,290
home or factory-made mattresses
to their bedroom equipment in 1940.

Mrs. C. M. McBee of Brownsville
is recuperating from a major opera-
tion performed August 2nd at Me-
dina Hospital.

Gordon and Morton, twin sons of
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Mechler, under-
went tonsilectomies on August 7th
at Medina Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fohn of Yac-
ey are the happy parents of a 8
pound baby boy born July 31, 1940,
at Medina Hospital.

Miss Glenrose Brucks successfully
underwent an appendectomy on
August 1st at Medina Hospital and
is now on the road to recovery.

There are 23 billion tons of lig-
nite, soft, clay-like coal, in Texas
and University of Texas scientists are
working to devise a process making
lignite a good industrial fuel.

T. F. Wortham, fruit grower
north of McAllen, (Hidalgo county),
has a naval orange he believes is
about as big as anything produced
this season. It weighs three pounds
and its circumference is 18 inches.

Mr. Willie Britsch and daughter
Inez, were visitors at this office
Tuesday. Mr. Britsch informed us
that his son, Pvt. Joe W. Britsch
is now with the Base Guard Co.,
the Marine Corps Base in San Diego,
California, where he is now on duty
guarding prisoners.

The sale of publicity service
is our chief means of livelihood.
Therefore, such matter as announce-
ments of public gatherings where ad-
missions are charged, articles sold or
collections taken up are paid matter
chargeable the same as other adver-
tising in this paper.

The railroads took 3,801 cars of
livestock to markets at Fort Worth
and in other states during February.
The University of Texas Bureau of
Business Research reports. These
shipments 3.8 per cent larger than
in February a year ago included 2,
110 cars of cattle, 691 cars of calves,
782 cars of hogs and 218 cars of
sheep. The cattle movement showed
a 3.4 per cent increase over Febru-
ary, 1940, calves 9.9 per cent, hogs
32.1 per cent. Sheep shipments show-
ed the only decline from 400 to only
218 cars.

Texas farmers sold \$16,326,000
worth of farm products during Febru-
ary, or more than 15 per cent more
than in February a year ago, ac-
cording to the University of Texas Bureau
of Business Research reports. Most of
the income increase resulted from
rise in prices of livestock and live-
stock products, rather than an in-
crease in marketings. Agriculture
income exclusive of government sub-
sidies for the first two months of
1941 and estimated at \$37,740,000
up 21 per cent over the combined
January and February receipts.

A Fellow's Got To Eat!

But acid indigestion, heartburn
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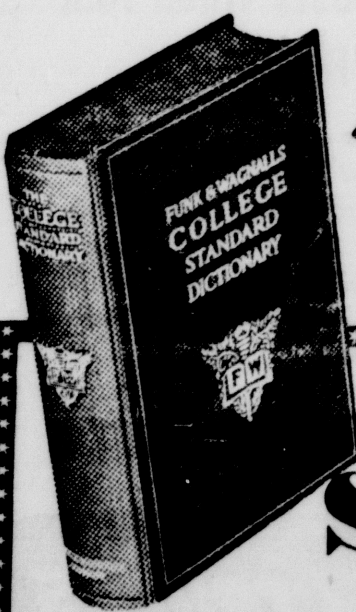
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prices. EARL WATSON.

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TEXAS.

Mrs. Alice Bertriver, Mrs. S. A.
Jungman and their sister, Mrs. Mar-
tin Zimmerman, of San Antonio,
attended the Trail Drivers celebra-
tion in Uvalde Thursday.

H. E. HAASS, Attorney-at-Law,
Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hon-
do, Texas. All legal matters care-
fully attended to, in all courts of
Texas. Manager Medina County Ab-
sement.

Mrs. M. J. Batot and daughter,
Barbara Ann, left last week for
their home in Houston after spend-
ing some time with her mother, Mrs.
A. J. Hutzler, and other relatives
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Friends are congratulating Mr.
and Mrs. Charles Embrey of San An-
tonio on the birth of a fine 7-pound
6-ounce baby boy, August 5, 1941, at
Medina Hospital. Mrs. Embrey will
be remembered as Miss Lillian Jung-
man of LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot of Hon-
do and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schuchart
of San Antonio returned Wednesday
from a motor trip to Marfa, Fort
Davis, and Carlsbad Cavern in New
Mexico. They returned home by
way of San Angelo, Texas.

Mrs. Travis Timberlake of Blew-
ett, and her cousin, Miss June
Schulze of Del Rio, visited in Hondo
Thursday and were accompanied
home by Mrs. Timberlake's children
who had been visiting their grand-
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holloway.

Mr. Gus Rothe accompanied his
brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and
Mrs. C. E. Martin, and sons of Pear-
all on a motor trip to Monterrey,
Mexico. The party was called home
on account of the death of Mr. Mar-
tin's mother, Mrs. Lena Falkenberg,
who died Wednesday.

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AGED LADY DIES HERE

Mrs. Emilie Tampke, 82, died at
12:30 P. M. Monday, August 4, 1941,
at the home of her son-in-law and
daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Weber,
in Hondo with whom she had made
her home for the past two years.
The aged lady had suffered a cere-
bral hemorrhage a few days before
her death.

The deceased was born at Quihi,
in Medina County, on May 23, 1859,
a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil
Aden. She lived in that community
until 1879 when she moved to
Utopia, her home until two years
ago. Her husband, Mr. W. A. Tam-
pke, preceded her in death. She
was 82 years, 2 months and 11 days
of age. Immediate survivors are two
daughters, Mrs. R. A. Weber of Hon-
do and Mrs. Frank Hines of Davilla,
Texas; and five sons, Otto Tampke
of Leakey, and George, Frank, Willie
and Louis Tampke, of Utopia.

The body was prepared for burial
at the Horgan funeral home and was
taken overland to Utopia where the
funeral services were held at 4:00
o'clock Tuesday afternoon, August
5th, at the Utopia cemetery where
interment was made. Rev. McAden
of the Utopia Methodist Church of-
ficiated. Pallbearers were Alvie
Tampke, Jack Tampke, Edgar
Tampke, W. A. Tampke, Sam Clark,
and Bob Tampke.

MRS. LENA FALKENBERG DEAD

Mrs. Lena Falkenberg, 76, long-
time resident of Hondo and Medina
County but for the past eight or
nine years making her home with
children in San Antonio, died sud-
denly at 5:30 P. M. Wednesday,
August 6, 1941, at the home of her
daughter, Mrs. A. H. Sprenger, 802
W. Poplar St., San Antonio. The
remains were brought to Horgan fu-
neral home Wednesday night where
they will remain until the funeral.
Funeral services are indefinite at
this time, pending the arrival of one
son who was vacationing in Mexico
at the time of his mother's passing.

The deceased is survived by one
daughter, Mrs. A. H. Sprenger, of
San Antonio, and three sons, Fritz
Martin of Hondo, Ernest Martin of
Pearlsall, and Rev. Milton Falken-
berg of Corpus Christi, besides sev-
eral step-children.

A more fitting tribute will be paid
this highly esteemed lady in next
week's paper.

SERVICES HELD FOR HENRY W. BARTH

Henry William Barth, 54, died
Thursday, July 31, 1941, at his home,
626 West Theo Avenue, in San An-
tonio. Funeral services were held
Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from
Zizik-Kearns funeral home, with
Rev. Ralph R. Gresham officiating.
Interment was made in Roselawn
Burial Park.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs.
Minnie Barth; three sons, Clarence,
Raymond and Elloyd Barth, all of
San Antonio; the mother, Mrs. Fan-
nie Barth of Hondo; two sisters, Mrs.
Louise Demmer of Hondo and Miss
Minnie Barth of San Antonio; two
brothers, Emil of Hondo, and Theo-
dore of Brackettville.

A large number of Medina Coun-
ty relatives and friends attended the
last rites for the deceased in San An-
tonio Sunday.

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SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Nietenhoefer
were very much surprised on Sun-
day, the 27th of July. Their birth-
days were on the 26th of July and
they both are the same age. Coffee,
iced tea and a nice dinner were
served at 12 o'clock. The afternoon
was spent by playing cards; after
that iced tea, cakes and pies were
served. All who enjoyed the happy
occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold
Nietenhoefer, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew
Martin, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin,
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin, Mr. and
Mrs. Herbert Saathoff; Misses Lil-
lian Lindeburg, Bernice Nietenhoe-
fer, Evelyn, Vernel and Mary Louise
Martin; Masters Clinton, Wilkes,
Henry Jr., and Lester Martin, and
Martin Ray Nietenhoefer. They all
enjoyed it and wish Mr. and Mrs.
Nietenhoefer many more happy
birthdays.—Contributed.

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County to come and visit us. We
came from Beeville, Texas, where
we operated a Humble Service Sta-
tion for seven years, and we feel
confident that we can give you
courteous service.

Respectfully yours,
WM. BOEMER.

NEW FORD AGENCY FOR HONDO

A new business enterprise for
Hondo is McCutchen Motors Inc.,
authorized Ford dealer, located in
the former Highway Garage build-
ing on Highway 90. The firm is al-
ready conducting business but on
Saturday, August 16, in order to be-
come more rapidly acquainted with
the people of Hondo and Medina
County will hold a grand opening.
Details of this event will be given
later.

McCutchen Motors will deal in
new Ford automobiles, new Ford
tractors and all the farm implements
that go with them, and genuine Ford
parts. In conjunction with the deal-
ership a modern equipped garage
and service station will be conduct-
ed. Mobilgas and oils will be dis-
pensated and a factory-trained me-
chanic will be on the job at all times.

The office force consists of A. L.
Barber, manager; F. H. (Al) Holl-
mig, bookkeeper; and Miss Bonita
Speece, stenographer. Mr. Barber
comes from Uvalde where he was
associated with the McCutchen Trac-
tor Company. The other two mem-
bers of the office staff need no in-
troduction to their fellow citizens of
Hondo. Bob Scott, the factory-
trained mechanic, is from Brackett-
ville.

McCutchen Motors Inc. expect a
shipment of new Ford cars within the
next week but have a beautiful
de luxe model on the floor to show
interested parties.

HONDO H. D. CLUB MEETS

The Hondo Home Demonstration
Club met at the home of Mrs. A. H.
Schweers on August 7th. During
the short business meeting it was
decided for the Club to make lawn
furniture for exhibit day, September
27th. Some important facts were
brought out in the demonstration on
electricity by Miss Velma Hamble-
ton, county agent. Cookery, ironing
and also the ice box were explained
to show the economy of using elec-
tricity. Miss Hambleton explained
the different ways of preparing
chicken. She made chicken mousse
which was served with iced tea,
crackers, and doughnuts.

—Reporter.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

A very pleasant surprise was giv-
en in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Aug.
Schneider, Sunday, August 3, being
their 27th wedding anniversary. The
dinner consisted of barbecued chick-
en, salads, and all the trimmings.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs.
Armin Schneider and daughters,
Florence and Rose Marie, son,
Franky; Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Etter,
all of Castroville; Mr. and Mrs.
John E. Neuman, Mr. and Mrs. Al-
fred Neuman, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin
Neuman and sons, John Henry, Wil-
liam Hale, Wilbur Lee and daughter,
Alice Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neu-
man and sons, Wesley Earl, Jimmy
and Jerry, Mrs. Adolph Bayer, son,
Bobby Jack, and daughter, Mary
Ann, and the honorees, Mr. and Mrs.
August Schneider.—Contributed.

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GRAND OPENING
Saturday, Aug. 16th

THE EDITOR'S TURN-ROW



WHO KNOWS? WHO CARES?

By Fred W. Davis

Lord Halifax, British Ambassador to the U. S., is making a tour of the country inspecting our defense efforts. He assured the laborers at San Francisco that England needed much more help from us. He also stated that every time they produced a sub-marine chaser they could think they were doing a great deal to help the British people. This is typically a British viewpoint. No need to think about the American people who must pay for the work. Merely think what is being done for the British people.

In the last issue of Fletcher's Farming U. S. Senator Gillette of Iowa was quoted as follows: "Every single statute that has gone on the books in America since 1935 has been in the interest and at the instigation of the British foreign office".

There is a movement known as "Union now with Britain". They carried as a highlight the following statement by Harold J. Laski, "There can be no peace without international organization which abrogates the sovereignty of individual states". . . In commenting on the Laski statement the advocates for "Union Now With Britain" made the following statement, "We have been telling Americans for over two years in fifty-seven different ways, the Union Now demands a limitation of national sovereignty and independence".

The American people are abandoning the parliamentary principle of government. The Congress has no policy of its own and no will of its own. About all the members of Congress know about what is going to be done in the name of the American people they get by listening to the President's speeches over the radio. They don't yet know who wrote the Lend-Lease Bill. In the name of the American people the President has linked this nation with every struggle of power politics throughout the earth. He has assumed it is our moral duty to go to the rescue of

every nation on earth that has been the victims of other and stronger nations. Just now our efforts are to oppose all the opponents of Germany, Japan and Italy. But the principle laid down is universal.

To get back to Lord Halifax: If England's war is our war; if our defense depends upon Britain and her navy rather than upon ourselves and our own defense, and if we are obligated to police the world and go to the rescue of all alleged democracies and oppressed peoples, then we have been very selfish and derelict in not getting to their rescue sooner—not with food and munitions only, but with manpower also. Lord Halifax and others are very patient indeed because we have let them do all the fighting, suffering and dying.

The interventionists say we must do our best to save Britain and all alleged democracies. That we are in grave danger of an invasion if Britain falls. Yet most of them say we shouldn't go fight. Such an attitude is contemptible. If it is our war why shouldn't we be over there fighting? And this is just the attitude the nations are all going to take when it is over. Our billions will be gone and probably our young men also. But we will not have a friend among the nations. They will all claim we admitted an obligation we did not fulfill. What leadership for the greatest nation of all time in the most tragic world condition of all history!

The loss of friendship of other nations will not be our greatest loss, for we are the most self-sufficient nation that ever existed. We have surrendered much of our freedom already and the rest of it will be as Laski (quoted above) says, "Abrogated". Union or no union with so-called democracies the American people will be standardized out of all initiative and individual hope and sent to their assigned duties like work stock.

There is an old saying that "The king can do no wrong". This is true of dictators and all forms of arbitrary power. The Gestapo and the Ogpu are instruments through which

George Washington said:

* Excessive partiality for one
* foreign nation and excessive
* dislike of another causes those
* whom they actuate to see dan-
* ger only on one side and serve
* to veil and even second the arts
* of influence on the other. Real
* patriots who may resist the in-
* trigues of the favorite are liable
* to become suspected and odious,
* while its tools and dupes usurp
* the applause and confidence of
* the people, to surrender their
* interests.

arbitrary decrees are carried out in Germany and Russia. Here it is the Bureau. The bureaus make laws, interpret laws and execute them with no responsibility whatever, except to the President. Can Hitler or Stalin or Mussolini do more? The citizen can't even go to court against the arbitrary acts of a bureaucrat and in many instances the Congress has declared that the rules of jurisprudence need not be followed if he does get in court.

An example of the upper and lower millstones of government is found in the Sunday Austin American-Statesman of July 20th. On the front page Deputy-dictator Harold Ickes calls upon the American people to voluntarily conserve gasoline by one-third. He, of course, mentioned rationing which is the "or else" if the conservation request is not carried out. On the second page of this same paper we are advised that the production of gasoline for the week just closed was low because Texas wells were shut off three days instead of two, the week before. This is government in action. Shut down the wells and create a shortage, then ration consumers because of the shortage. Contradictions mean nothing to arbitrary power. And those who are willing to barter their freedom for a position or a subsidy don't care. There has scarcely been a solemn promise made to the people in the last nine years that has been kept, but a purchased citizenry doesn't care.

As the Saturday Evening Post of July 19th says, "Some form of government will survive. If parliamentary government fails then we will have some other form." Intelligent patriotic people cannot but seriously be concerned as to what kind of government ours is going to be.

Roosevelt's reaching out to take over the exposed outposts of Britain reminds us of the farmer who said he didn't want much land—just that that adjoined his! He soon found out that the more he acquired the more he found adjoining. At first it was New Foundland to protect our northeastern coast. Then it was "Greenland's icy mountains" to protect New Foundland. And now it is Iceland to defend Greenland! Such a policy must lead inevitably to our soon or later conflicting with the gluttony of some other land-grabber or eventually meeting ourselves on the way back in an effort at policing the world. Either one are ambitions too big for any country to safely entertain.

Who thinks above the common level must expect to be misunderstood!

Our leading editorial for this month is written for us by our Contributing Editor, Hon. Fred W. Davis, a former Commissioner of Agriculture of the State of Texas. Mr. Davis and the editor of this paper, be it said here, are not related by consanguinity in the remotest degree to either's knowledge. But both trace their ancestry to pre-Revolutionary immigrant stock—he on the Welsh, or paternal side, one of whom was among the first to spill his blood at Concord;—the writer, through Scotch ancestry on two sides, his paternal grand-mother and his maternal grand-father. Over a hundred and fifty years of the melting pot has made us both Americans—Americans who do not have to "mask" their Americanism! In giving space to his lucid and ever logical discussion of the situation that confronts America, a situation more menacing to the safety of American freedom than the armed hordes of any foreign prince or potentate can ever bring against it, this American is helping to carry the warning voice of another American of unimpeachable patriotism to other Americans who think. Only such are within the reach of appeal; on British worshippers and hysterical warmongers, it will be "love's labor"—love of and labor for country, home and our American way of life—"LOST". If Americans fail in this crisis America, as we inherited it, as we have known it, and as we still love it, is lost to our posterity.

oOo

Mr. Fitzgerald, our orchard man, whose chief aim, purpose and happiness in life is in serving his fellow man by helping him to produce and properly utilize good and wholesome fruit, this month gives his orchard space to a discussion of the now prevalent mania for spending our blood and treasure in the service of England. And after all, is it not very appropriate that he should? From each seed planted, if it lives, in time there is produced fruit of its own kind. From the seeds of ruin in such endless variety that are now being sowed by such reckless and extravagant hands future generations shall eat bitter fruits in sweat and toil if they do not reap them in blood and tears. Indeed, "we are going to have a hard time saving America". And what better "orcharding" could he render than helping preserve the fruits of liberty bequeathed us by the founding fathers?

oOo

"The President issued a statement," says a propaganda sheet from the Office of Government Reports, "that the United States has been letting oil go to Japan 'with the hope—and it has worked for two years—of keeping the war out of the South Pacific for our own good, for the defense of Great Britain and the freedom of the seas' . . ." Who is the admitted "appeaser" now? And why omit mention of scrap iron? And what do the Chinamen think of this double dealing?

ANVIL SPARKS

IT PAYS TO REMEMBER—

- That some things are best forgotten!
- That we rise no higher than we aspire to reach!
- That soon or late we pay the price of every folly!
- That hope is the last bulwark against despair!
- That remorse, however bitter, makes no amends to one you have wronged!
- That contentment with one's situation is the best of wealth!
- That to fulfill the purpose of your Creator in making you His creature is life's real worthwhile achievement!

Be sure that you shall find that fame's a fragile thing;
The singer's oft forgotten ere he's ceased to sing!

Uncle Jake says:—

The feller what wants the least gits the fewest disapp'intments!

SPARKLETS

- Peace never grew a hatred!
- He who can endure frustrations and remain unspoiled has found the true philosopher's stone!
- We are only so poor as we let ourselves long for the unattainable!
- Education fails that doesn't teach one how to endure the inevitable!
- The grouch is his own worst enemy!
- He alone is capable of ruling who has first mastered his own self-control.

LOVE

Think love
And love shall bloom
Along the garden walks
Of time, sweetening all life's
Contacts!

FLETCHER DAVIS.



THE DAWN OF FLIGHT

Out of the dawn . . . comes morning,
Out of the bloom, comes night;
Out of the mysteries . . . called living,
Out of God's gift . . . came flight.
Flight . . . is taking us . . . nearer,
To the temples of thought, on high;
As we fly, on the wings of the morning,
Or drift alone . . . in the sky.
I've dreamed . . . like a weary river,
Winding onward . . . out to the sea;
And my thought grows mystic in watching:
Dreaming . . . of things, yet to be.
But the silence, and dreams are unbroken,
By the wanderers . . . up in the sky.
Passing . . . like things of mystery;
God's from the stars . . . up so high.
Out of this mystery . . . called living;
Man's conquering, space . . . up there.
It's the gift, from the god's to we mortals,
Dominion . . . of man . . . in the air.

Then why? . . . should we doubt the unfoldment,
Or the gift from Creation, in space.
We are nearer to Him than the seeming;
We are meeting God . . . face to face.
—DANIEL MOORE KERSHNER.

THE PLOWMAN

He turns great furrows in the black-loamed earth,
And plods behind the plow with leaden feet;
He brushes blinding sweat from his steaming face
While clucking softly to the two black mares.
Gray gulls swoop down in never-ending circles,
Their beady eyes intent on searching out
Elusive bug or brightly-shining beetle
That might perchance escape the furrow's fall.
The plowman stons, and scans the brilliant sky
For time of day; he pulls the horses up
To where a leafy beech in grandeur stands,
And leaning back, opens up a tin lunch box,
Accompanied by the gulls, who hover near.
—EDYTHE HOPE GENE.

IN THE GREENHOUSE

His hands are brown
And broken with years
Of breaking soil,
But they can feel
New life pushing out
To burst its foil,
And he must watch
That bit of quick green
When day is done—
I learn from him
A fearful thing—
To grow a son.
—MANFRED A. CARTER.

CAMPIN' OUT

It's great to go a campin' out an' sleep beneath the sky,
No roof to shelter you except the starry one on high;
The cracklin' o' the camp fire, and the smell o' bacon frivin',
Seems you've got so much to live fer, you can't even think o' dyin'.
The coffee b'ilin' in the pot, you drink it black and straight,
Its tantalizin' odor simply makes it hard to wait,
To fill a tin cup to the brim, an' cool an' sin an' cool.
The guy that started out-door life—he surely warn't no fool!
To me, "Four walls a prison make" an' livin's full an' free,
No cares to mar my spirit, yes that is the life fer me.
A little ashes in my grub, may spile its looks a bit,
But it doesn't mar its flavor, not a tiny single whit.
Seems I'm livin' close to God when campin' out like this,
Conventions, forms, an' man-mad stuff, to me they seem amiss.
No lines of worry dot my brow, I'm full an' fancy free,
When my evenin' camp fire casts it glowin' shadow over me.
—EUNICE CLEMENT HYATT.

THROUGH A COUNTRY LANE

The evening's dusk falls softly on the earth—
The dying day awaits the morning's birth.
Black shadows lean against a grey ing sky
Where etching of the windmill towers high.
And oaks are buddled there, in clumps below,
Among the trees that line the garden row.
Through dusky haze, across the open field,
Dark sheaves of harvest show the golden yield.
Bright windows of the farm-house glow with light,
Where falls a friendly beacon through the night.
The stars shine out—like lanterns, one by one,
The signal, that another day is done.
—MABEL G. AUSTIN.

AS IS

I'll take my rose "with Thorn"
The only way I can
For, if I want it shorn
Nothing surer than
I'll find, it has been torn.
—EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF.

SUNSHINE BIRDS

The yellow warblers flit from tree to tree,
And by their color seem to prove
That story true of how they came to be
Like living sunbeams when they move.
For once their plumage was a plain, brown hue.
But here and there a gilding ray
Of sunshine fell upon them as they flew.
Making their dull coats bright and gay.
"Let us be always so," they chirped request,
"Let us be yellow like the sun,"
And the great ball gave them for back and breast
Gold feathers which his own beams spun.
Today wherever they may go they wear
The dress proclaiming they are bits
Formed from the sun, and darting through the air
Bring the same cheer its light emits.
—EDITH M. LARRABEE.

EACH THING BEARS ITS NATURE'S SONG

What has music? Poets know
Music channels high and low:
Not alone the man or thing
Man has ever made to sing.
Each thing bears its nature's song
Just as long as life is long.
Each conveys the great song thence
Out of Somewhere into sense.
Science proves what poets know:
God has voiced the patterned snow;
Given sound to desert dunes;
Filled the dust with lovely tunes.
Christ unfolds in willing man
Sense to hear the perfect plan
Being sung by all its parts:
Dust-grains, worlds and human hearts.
—LOUIS MILLER ANDREWS.

BUILD THY HOUSE UPON A ROCK

Build thy house upon foundations
Which are solid, firm and true,
Giving strength and hope and courage
Strong enough to carry through.
Hold on firmly when the storm clouds
Blow and shatter with a shock.
Keep thy courage and thy vision—
Build thy house upon a rock!
—MARY LARKIN COOK.

BARREL ORGAN ON THE STREET

Tony grinds his organ, standing below the curb;
Mayor says can't do, but Tony musta mak'da liv'
I maka da musik, says Tony.—a sorry sort of blurb—
You and I may sulk but his best will Tony give.
There's enchantment on the street,
Children in soiled bibs
Dance and are veri' happy while
Tony's rythms roll and grind
Takes little to make children happy,
Tony's musik' spills and dribs.
Happiness isn't in much owning! 'tis all in state of mind.
A fairy tale from Old Araby grows and builds palaces
In this humid street of pushcarts, rubbish and refuse.
Children aren't particular, they believe as their fancy sees
Ignorance may be glorious when want it can excuse.
Tony, your work isn't constructive, rather its superfluous.
Sinai's out of business, gives no more laws on graven stones;
Not always God speaks in thunder, sometimes He's common, thus
Telling His laws to children in Tony's organ's tones.

I have praise for Tony, I say he's worthy of his hire;
The ordinance works are busy, hear their crashes and groans
Creating tanks and bombers, conveyors of hell's own fire—
Down the street swarthy Tony rolls his barrel-organ tones.
—DAVID W. CADE.

A PRINCESS IN DISGUISE

She handled pots and pewter
And heavy china ware
With delicate precision
As one who'd ever care
For moonbeams bound in silver,
And rainbows caught in glass—
Or fragile mist of evening—
All lovely things which pass.
She ironed lace and linens
And polished wooden chairs
With hands whose perfect motions
Were like a chain of prayers.
Her dress was faded gingham,
Fatigue was in her eyes,
Yet she seemed, despite her labors,
A princess in disguise.
—MURRAY SKINNER.

ROOSTER'S REVEILLE

A sharp stiletto edge of light
Cleaves darkness on the eastern rim;
A rooster's rousing reveille
Sends arrowed silver, piercing, slim,
To stab the senses, puncture dreams,
Of those who have not risen yet.
The farmer, milking, hears the call
To rhythmic sound of snowy jet
Pouring a stream into his pail;
The milk ascends with crest of foam . . .
This satisfaction farmers know
Is next to plowing sun-warmed loam.
—RUTH W. MOREHOUSE.

GUILF

Don't try to measure age by years
Nor youth, alone, by beauty;
For paradoxal as it sounds,
They coalesce astutely.
—LOTTIE HUMPHREYVILLE ATHEY.

GARDEN TALKS

In these bitter times, isn't it sweet
to turn from contemplation of the horrors of war and the seeming hopelessness of all efforts to escape the pitiless spilling of blood—the fearful sacrifice which alone can drive out man's sins of hatred, envy, jealousy and avarice—and commune here with the poets in the Garden of the Muses! How like, after waking from a horrid night-mare to meet the dawn to the morning-song of the

birds, to walk in a beautiful, dew-be-spangled flower garden and breathe its myriad perfumes! Let's leave our mourning, our prejudices, our hates behind us—in the secret place of our private chamber—and bring only our songs of patient hope and good cheer to this garden. Send us your songs of life and love and home—make beautiful those simple things that make life lovely—and so keep revived the well-springs of Hope and Courage!

Men Marooned

By
GEORGE MARSH

Continuing down wind, counting his paces, at last Guthrie knew that he had passed the sled in the blind muck, so circled. Etienne had said the dogs would freeze in ten minutes—and he had missed them; lost the chance to save the huskies who had given him their all that grim December day. Then a white body shouldered into his legs—Shot!

"Where did you go?" he shouted into the dog's ear. But the excited beast left him to plunge into the storm—then returned to seize Garth's mittened hand.

Following the dog for a space he stumbled against a mound in the snow—the sled! He groped for the leashes that marked the frozen dogs, but in vain. They were gone. Etienne! He had got them up into the spruce.

In his joy Garth knelt and hugged the ice-shod body of the great alre-dale whose tongue found his master's face.

Food!

The sled-load was untouched. Etienne had had but one thought—to save his dogs. So Garth slashed the frozen lashings and reached a grub bag, tea pail and kettle; then started for the camp, following blindly the dog who nosed out the tracks of the team. The dull glow of the fire through the blur of snow led them over the last yards. There, on his knees, Etienne was working over his huskies' legs.

"Grub and a pail!" shouted Garth, as he scooped up snow for tea. "Good old Castor! You feel better now?"

The husky, sprawled near the blazing logs, lifted his tail in response. "Der moccasins save der feet," said Etienne. "Good t'ing dey cut feet on de bush so we put on de shoe."

"But how did you get them up to follow you? They were close to frozen when we left them."

Etienne grinned as he pinched and rubbed a pair of hairy paws. "Do husky ees ver' smart feller. Dey were all fire out—but not start to freeze when we left dem. Een leetle team, dey so tire and hungrey, dey freeze. But Etienne tell dem dat supper start soon, and dey come to life, toute suite. Den I drag dem here."

"Till go back for blankets," said the much relieved Guthrie, and with Shot, went to the sled and returned with robes, and the whitefish for the famished huskies.

Later, snug before their fire in the wind-break of the timber, two men and six dogs slept the sleep of ex-

haustion, while the norther drove across the white tundra.

Although the wind ceased and the snow ceased by noon of the following day, the crippled dogs held Guthrie to his camp. With his glasses he located the smoke of cooking fires in the scrub across the basin, and in the early afternoon Etienne slipped his moccasins into the thongs of his snowshoes and started for the camp of the hunters, while Garth, whose knowledge of Cree was limited, stayed with the dogs.

As Garth watched a boiling kettle of salt wavy, and bannock baking in a tilted frying pan, the dogs announced the return of Etienne through the dusk. Much depended upon what the head man had learned, and Guthrie probed the immobile features as the half-breed thrust his shoes in a drift and stepped to the fire.

"Well, what news?"

From the gravity of his expression it was clear that Savanne was struggling with a problem difficult and baffling.

"Ver' queer t'ing—ver' queer!" was the unresponsive answer as Etienne dropped his mittens on their neck thong to warm his hands at the fire.

"What is?"

"What dose Cree tell me. Dere are eight hunter wid camp een dis valley here; some from Elkwan and some from down de coast, I talk to dem all. Wat dey say ees ver' strange."

"Well, for heaven's sake shoot!"

"Souci has been here two—Cree day back. He invite dem to de Canoe Riviere were he mak' de heeg medicine."

"Did he get them to promise to take their fur to the schooner?"

"No! Mokoman, he talk to dem strong, too, but dey not know wat dey do when I say de strait froze. Dey have mooch fox—silver, black and cross."

"They are going to Souci's pow-wow?"

"Yes, and hunter down de riviere—all weel go."

"How far is it?"

"Not far—ten mile—mebbe more, oavir de hill."

Garth's mouth shut hard. "Well, Etienne, we haven't been invited, but we'll surely attend that party."

Etienne nodded. "But dees Souci, why he tak' de troubl' to do dees t'ing?"

"He's going to tell the hunters that the spirits are the friends of McDonald and they must take their fur to the schooner."

"I feex dat for heem. I tell de Cree oavir dere dat you and I watch de schooner at night, an' see fire come out of her an' de devil dance on de mast. I scare dose squaw so bad, one had de fit."

"How about the men?"

"Dey wait to see Souci—but dey are scare."

"Where is this Mokoman?"

"He has gone to de Canoe. He was not wid Souci."

"Well, we head for the Canoe at daylight. Will the dogs be able to travel? If not, we go without them."

"Ah-hah, de dogs can walk to de Canoe."

"We may not persuade the hunters to cross the ice with us, but we can make it hot for sorcerer Souci when he tries his mumbo-jumbo. Will he dare make his medicine when he sees us?"

Savanne scratched his head before replying. "Someth' een dis eet ees queer. Dey say Souci has not met Mokoman, an' he was here on de Islan' long tam. Dere was troubl', too, wid French compene, down de Rabbit."

"What kind of trouble—fighting?"

"Ah-hah! Dis Blackbeard run de French Cree oavir de ice—drive dem off de Islan'."

"He did, did he? Well, that will cook McDonald's goose for next year. The government will have the police up here waiting for that schooner on her return. Run 'em off the Islan'! Good! I only wish he'd try that with us. I wouldn't mind meeting up with Monsieur Breault of St. Johns."

Etienne drew a long skinning knife from his inside sash. "I would lak to cut dem whisker wid dis—ver' short, een de neck."

"I'll bet you would, you old knife-fighter! Like the job you did on One-Eyed Louis, up at God's lake."

Etienne squinted along the edge of the knife—then ran a thumb over it. "Breault insult ma femme," he said quietly, and returned the knife to its sheath.

In the blue dawn, the dog-team pulled out of camp bound down river to the west fork, which would take them north through a gash in the barrens to the watershed of the Canoe.

The norther had left much drifted snow and the stiff legs of the huskies cut the pace to a walk. Shot, exuberant after his two days of enforced idleness, ranged to the front and flanked in search of ptarmigan, rabbit and mouse. Along the river, the broken-out drift in the old trail marked the hunters on their way to the rendezvous on the Canoe. It was evident that the Cree trappers in the north of the Islan' were bound for the medicine lodge of the old shaman.

Twenty to thirty hunters with a catch of at least one hundred foxes would gather to witness the necromancy of the conjurer. On the power of the old man's magic would depend the destination of twenty thousand dollars' worth of fox pelts. Whether Elkwan or the schooner at Seal Cove was to enjoy a rich Christmas trade would be determined by the ability of Saw and his spirit coadjutors to nullify the superstitious fears aroused by the sinister rumors of the crafty Etienne. It would be a battle worth watching, thought Garth, keen for the meeting in

the lonely valley of the Canoe between the grasping Cree who had betrayed him and the resourceful Savanne. But one condition he had imposed on the half-breed—that there should be no bloodshed. They had come to Akimiski to save the race of the future, as well as the present, and under no circumstances was the head man to abuse or threaten either Saul or his sons. He, Guthrie, would have something to say concerning the long arm of the company in its future dealings with the man who had deserted to the enemy; but the command was—no fighting.

"Wat you do with dat Mokoman?" had demanded Etienne with a grimace.

"If he shows up at the pow-wow, and interfere, I'll leave him to you."

"I tak' good care of heem," grunted the other.

At the fork they left the main river trail to follow the branch leading north.

"Dey all go to Souci's party," laughed Etienne. "Four, five team pass here dis morning."

As the tender-footed huskies drew the sled at a walk or slow trot, Shot reveled in the game sign of the scrub along shore. On a foray into the timber, the trail of the snowshoe-rabbit, which had first lured him, was crossed by that of a more enticing fox. Keen with the lust for the hunt, Shot followed the trail back through the scrub and out into the open barren on the shoulders of the valley. There, far from the river, he stopped. Before him the webbed imprint of snowshoes cut the fox tracks he followed. The dog sniffed curiously, but it was a vague, unfamiliar scent that the fresh trail carried. Slowly at first, then at a lope, he followed it down through the timber. As he neared the river the voices of Garth and Etienne drifted faintly in from the ice. The dog was puzzled. From his rigid war training he had learned silence when business was afoot. And this seemed business. By the hour he had watched shell holes—from trenches—had patrolled forest, as at present, in absolute silence. In some occult way the keen-witted dog seemed that again, there in the white north far from Flemish battle fields, he was at his old trade, guarding with quivering nostrils, eyes and ears tense, the safety of the man out there on the ice.

On he went, weaving in and out of the thick scrub, relentless as a wolf. Suddenly the alre-dale stiffened, hair rising like brush bristles along his spine. Near the shore in the thicket ahead was something dark, motionless.

The war dog froze, stiff as the spruce above him, one paw suspended in air. A vague scent reached his working nostrils. Then, like a lynx through the dusk, the alre-dale drifted up the trail.

Out on the river ice the voice of Garth called. "Here Shot!" But the head of the dog did not turn. His small, terrier eyes never left the shape on the snow. He knew that the lean, brown barrel thrust before the dark body was a rifle—a maker of fire and death.

Three—four steps nearer, then gathering beneath him the steel springs which were the muscles of his legs, the alre-dale leaped. As Shot's fangs ripped into the shoulder of the Indian's capote, the rifle exploded. A bullet ricocheted from the frozen sled cover and whined away over the river. Two men dropped behind the sled, as the team stopped. Reaching up, Etienne wrenched his cased rifle from its lashings and fired twice below a shred of blue smoke hanging in the spruce where an enraged dog silently grappled with an unknown enemy. But his fire was not returned. There, under the trees, an Indian frantically fought to turn his rifle on the mad, dened brute who had ripped parks to ribbons and hurled him backward to the snow. Parrying the snap of our ling fangs with a blow of his gun butt, the Indian gained his feet to meet another lunge before he aimed his gun. Again the dog leaped, carrying the man with him. Fangs slashed at bare throat—a choked cry—the alre-dale's jaws shut on dark flesh—ripped—and the would-be assassin lay on the snow with a torn throat.

There Garth and Etienne found them, the alre-dale lying beside his kill. Etienne bent to stare, with an oath, into the features, knotted in their death grimace, of—Joe Mokoman.

"Ambush us, eh?" snarled the half-breed. "You do fine job, Joe Mokoman." And he spurned the body with the bow of his snowshoe.

"So he meant to get that fur if he had to bury us in the snow?" said Garth, turning from the ugly picture to his dog, still whining with the heat of battle. "Good old Shottle!" And the man hugged the hairy shoulder of his friend. "You tracked him down for Garth, didn't you, old comrade of mine?"

"He dam good dog, Shot, eh?" cried Etienne, slapping the shaggy back. He knew more than some men; he knew Joe, he hunt us."

"He thought Joe was a German sharpshooter, didn't you, Shot?" And seated on the snow, Garth rocked to and fro, rubbing the ears of his dog, soothing his excitement in the low notes of a language none but the wriggling alre-dale understood.

"Wal, we buree dis skunk een de snow and let m'sien fox deeg him out."

"That's all we can do. He must have heard from the traveling Indians we were bound for the Canoe and decided to stop us. Do you suppose that McDonald knows we are here and faked him on us?"

Etienne shook his head. "He bin p'dis end de Islan' so de hunter say."

"I'm sorry this happened," said

Garth. "There's no telling what kind of a tale they'll make of it. I wish a sled would show up so we could show our evidence."

"Dey we stay on Islan' after McDonald hear hees man ees dead, we have to fight for sure."

"I'm not afraid of McDonald," laughed Garth, "but I don't want the Indians drawn into the fight. We're here for fur, not trouble, and I'll have to answer to my superiors for what happens. That's why I want you to be careful when we meet Souci. No fighting—understand?"

Savanne nodded. "De hunter know Etienne Savanne," said the half-breed with finality. "Dey weel not start troubl' wid heem."

"All right! Now let's make tracks for the Canoe and that medicine lodge of Souci's."

With their snowshoes, they heaped a mound of snow over the body of the skulker in the spruce, to be found by the lynx and foxes, and started. At noon the team turned down into the valley of the Canoe.

TO BE CONTINUED

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LEARN TO SAY "NO"

By Ina L. Mellichamp

A well-known physician tells the following story about his grandfather:

It seems the old gentleman was one of those kindly, lovable persons who are too "easy" for their own good. One day a friend approached him and said:

"Mr. X, I can tell you something that will be of great value to you. I will not give you this information free, for people only value things that they pay for. It may cost you \$25.00, but will be worth thousands to you."

"All right; I'll bite," answered the other, and paid the \$25.

"Learn to say 'No.'"

To say "No" is not an easy thing for some people to do, and it is unfortunate that others take advantage of these kindly and well-meaning souls. And yet—

The world is full of small children and others who are adult in years, but who have not passed the emotional childhood stage. It is well known that little folks often assume what is known as a "negativistic" attitude, fussing and saying "No" when things do not please them, and sometimes "just to be a-doing". They like to assert themselves, and express their individuality. This is a common childhood phase, which is outgrown if understood and properly handled by parents and teachers.

Unfortunately, many adults are still in the negative childhood stage, and sometimes older ones who are quite intelligent, relapse into childish ways. Doubtless we all know surfaced individuals who are "agin" everything, just on general principles. The world is full of these "conscientious objectors", and were it not for others who are willing to listen tolerantly and try new ideas, progress would be impossible and our civilization would soon be as extinct as the dodo.

The habit of negating things closes the mind to new and often much-needed stimuli, and shuts the individual off from many delightful and beneficial experiences. Unhappy indeed is he who closes the door of his mind and life to new experiences, through fear or a childish misunderstanding and unwillingness to take an adult view of life. Like the body, the mind needs nourishment and exercise, in order to grow and develop. It will shrivel up and atrophy without such food and exercise.

True wisdom, it seems to me, lies not merely in learning to say "No", but in learning WHEN to say "No".

MEALS FOR THE THRESHER CREW

In the preparation of a wholesome, appetizing meal for the thresher crew, our goal is to utilize as many home-grown products as possible with the least effort. Before the main meal is begun (preferably the day before), the pies are made, and the vegetables are gathered, cleaned, and placed on ice. The meat is also placed on ice. The pressure cooker is a great time saver, especially in the preparation of meats.

Now for the actual serving of the meal. The fruit pies are all stacked on one tray, ready for slicing; the tea is made in a large churn; the salad in a large mixing bowl; the meat is left in the cooker where it can be kept warm, and the other foods are all left in the vessels in which they were cooked; then the whole meal is carried to the field. There it is spread picnic style under the shade of a large tree for the men to help themselves. We buy paper plates so that they may be discarded after using.

Our first attempt at serving thresher meals picnic style was received by such remarks as, "I feel like I have been on a picnic instead of at work," and "Say, this is a treat!" Not only did the crew like the idea, but the women were delighted to find that there were so few dishes to be washed, and that they had the afternoon for visiting.—Mrs. Harold Singleton, Shackleford County, Texas, in The Progressive Farmer.

Dinner tables in other states made a big haul on Texas poultry yards in February, taking 62 carloads of chickens and turkeys, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research has discovered. This total shipment was more than a third higher than in February 1940, when 45 cars were "exported." The February, 1941, movement was made of 2 cars of live chickens, one of live turkeys, 55 cars of dressed chickens, 6 of dressed turkeys. Egg shipments more than doubled, from 41 to 105 carloads.

ACTIVITIES OF SOUTH TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Two projects long urged by the South Texas Chamber of Commerce, and realized during the past year, come under the head of wildlife conservation and restoration, according to a regional chamber bureau report.

The organization's wildlife bureau, headed by Congressman Richard Kleberg, Corpus Christi, lists the completion of Yarbrough Pass across Padre Island at Murdock's Landing, and provision for a marine laboratory at Aransas Pass.

The pass linking the gulf with Laguna Madre is designed to restore fish life in lagoon waters by permitting fresh water to reduce salinity that killed millions of fish. Steps have been taken for the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission to dredge another pass between the gulf and Redfish Bay near Raymondville.

A \$25,000 Rockefeller Foundation grant will supplement locally providing site with buildings for the Aransas Pass marine laboratory to study oceanography in all its branches.

The bureau report quotes an estimate of \$95,000,000 as the value of Texas' wildlife resources and adds that Texas "has more landowners producing game for profit than any other state."

A program seeking the establishment of more dairy-processing industries in the region has been announced by the South Texas Chamber of Commerce in connection with a revival of its dairy committee development. This has been disclosed in a report of the chamber's agricultural bureau, prepared for the annual meeting June 25. Already the committee had announced a South Texas Boys' Jersey Calf Club project in behalf of herd betterment.

Regional chamber contributions to agriculture, as listed in the bureau report, include efforts to stimulate farm chemistry; work for more adequate pink bollworm eradication appropriations; campaign to secure needed cotton harvest labor; co-operation in the FSA home orchard plan, and publicizing of county agents' outstanding achievements.

The report cites chamber-supported legislative provision for a state poultry experiment sub-station in Gonzales County as important to a leading South Texas industry. The region also stands to benefit from a state cotton research laboratory, yet to be located.

Walter W. Cardwell, Luling, is chairman of the agricultural bureau. Joe Ridgeway, San Antonio, heads the dairy committee.

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A clean cellar and attic are essential in the summer months because open windows will cause dust and dirt to fly about in all parts of the house.

Discarded clothing and old newspapers and magazines should be thrown out along with empty glass jars, chipped dishes and the score of odds and ends that somehow clutter up homes.

Make this a spic-and-span summer.

Texas' organized cotton improvement groups—in other words, one-variety cotton communities—are advised to take notice of dates for seeking free classification and market news service for cotton grown in 1941. Applications for these services may be made to the Agricultural Marketing Service by any organized cotton improvement group as soon as its members have planted their cotton. Deadlines for applications vary, however. Counties in Texas lying entirely or for the most part east of the 100th meridian must file applications not later than August 1. Counties west of that meridian have until August 15 to petition for free classification and market news. Applications can be filed with officers of the Agricultural Service at Dallas, Austin, or El Paso.

Texas bankers helped 40,521 farmers and ranchers with farm inventories, farm accounts, credit statements, and farm budgets during 1940. Texas is one of 28 states reaching a 1000-point goal for bankers' agricultural attainments, and has achieved the goal for three consecutive years. Work with farm youth, promotion of soil conservation, and other local projects in which the bankers were interested brought them in contact with 67,278 rural people during the year. Attendance of bankers at agricultural meetings was set at 2,063 and contributions to prizes, scholarships, exhibits, and good will visits were calculated to be \$14,785.78.

Harvesting season for Texas grapefruit has been extended to the end of May in Brooks, Cameron, Hidalgo, and Willacy counties, provided infestation of the Mexican fruit fly does not necessitate earlier closing. The Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, after consultation with the Texas State Department of Agriculture, granted this extension because of excessively heavy rains which have delayed the harvest.

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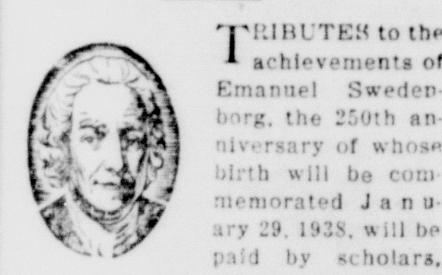
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Tributes Paid To Swedenborg



1688—1772

tributes to the achievements of Emanuel Swedenborg, the 250th anniversary of whose birth will be commemorated January 29, 1938, will be paid by scholars, scientists and theologians throughout the world. Cited briefly from past comments on his life work are these quotations:

"The truths passing out of his system into general circulation are now met with every day, qualifying the views and creeds of all churches, and men out of the church."—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

"Men no less distinguished by their wisdom than their worldly rank have publicly adopted Swedenborg's beliefs, which are indeed more consolatory than those of any other Christian communion."—Honore de Balzac.

"Swedenborg's message has meant so much to me. It has given color and reality and unity to my thought of the life to come; it has exalted my ideas of love, truth and usefulness; it has been my strongest incitement to overcome limitations. Swedenborg's 'Divine Love and Wisdom' is a fountain of life I am always happy to be near."—Helen Keller.

"As a natural psychologist and theologian he has strong and varied claims in the gratitude and admiration of the professional and philosophical world."—Samuel Taylor Coleridge.

"I have always admired Swedenborg's genius, and I did homage in 1911 to his tomb in the Cathedral at Upsala."—William Lyon Phelps.

"I have the profoundest honor for his character and work of Emanuel Swedenborg. I have from time to time mined much from his writings. It is impossible to say a little on so great theme."—Phillips Brooks.

Lowered Utility Rates

Gov. Alf Landon forced lower utility rates in Kansas that are saving the people of the state about \$1,000,000 a year.

:-: D'Hanis Doings :-:

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1941

Mrs. Ernest Lamm of San Antonio is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. X. Wolff.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Koch and daughter, Lavelle, of Houston have been visiting relatives here.

Sister M. Amabilis and Sister M. Damienne of Our Lady of the Lake, San Antonio, are visiting in the home of Mrs. J. W. L. Hanley and the L. J. Finger home respectively.

Miss Virginia Wallrath left Thursday for San Antonio where she has accepted employment.

HOMECOMING CELEBRATION

Former citizens of D'Hanis came from far and wide for the annual celebration on Sunday, Aug. 3, and people of neighboring towns also attended in large numbers, making the occasion one of the most successful in many years. It would be impossible to list the names of all those attending the celebration.

MAURICE P. TWOMEY PASSES

People of D'Hanis were shocked and grieved last week to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Maurice Patrick Twomey at his home in San Antonio on July 26, 1941. A large number from here went to the funeral services, which were held at the home,

201 South Mesquite St., at 9 A. M. Tuesday, followed by Requiem Mass in St. Mary's Church. Interment took place in San Fernando Cemetery No. 2 with Rev. Charles Haas officiating. Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus formed a guard of honor at the funeral.

Mr. Twomey, a native of Arcola, Ind., first came to D'Hanis in 1890 and subsequently spent about 35 years in this place. After two years as telegraph operator for the Southern Pacific Railroad he became station agent. He was also postmaster from 1893 to 1899. In 1892 he was married to Miss Jane Reily of D'Hanis, who died in 1925. After having worked in the claim department of the S. P. and as railroad agent at Yorktown, Texas, he returned to D'Hanis in 1908 to become bookkeeper for the Carle Mercantile Co., and then manager of the Seco Brick Company. At the time of his death he was a salesman for the Acme Brick Company in San Antonio, which city had been his home for the past 15 years. He was married in 1926 to Miss Della Reinhart of San Antonio.

Survivors are his widow; two sisters, Mrs. John Winegar of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, and Mrs. Joseph Smith of Arcola, Indiana; one brother, Joseph T. Twomey of Chicago, Ill.; and several nieces and nephews. He was a Fourth Degree Knight of Columbus, an Elk, a member of the Alhambra and of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers. He was a man of wide interests and numerous contacts, whose many friends will long remember him as a generous Christian gentleman.

:-: Castroville Cullings :-:

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

ISABELL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Karm or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Karm is authorized to collect and receipt for day business for this paper

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1941

Miss Evelyn Lutz of D'Hanis spent last week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haby, at Spindletop.

Mrs. Herman Vogel and son of Hondo spent Sunday visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. J. Brieden, and family.

Miss Ada Rose Lieber arrived Saturday evening for a vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lieber. Miss Lieber's home is in Houston.

Mrs. Sam Etter had as her guest last week Mrs. Ed Bohl of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monice and daughter, Jacqueline, from Dallas, Mrs. William Biediger and granddaughter of Spindletop were visitors in the Ralph Tschirhart home Friday.

Many from Castroville, Rio Medina, Cliff and the Sauz attended the annual church celebration at D'Hanis Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Tschirhart, of the Santa Rosa School of Nursing, spent several days of her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tschirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Tschirhart and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Jagge were on a three-day camping and fishing trip at Medina Lake last week.

Freddie Lieber returned home Monday night after a month's visit in Houston with her aunt, Mrs. Henry Zimmerman, and her sister, Ada Rose Lieber.

Climaxing the completion of the new Schott Bros. store building, owned by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schott, a grand opening was held all day Saturday, August 2, until late Saturday night when an estimated crowd of a thousand and cold drinks served that night. Ten baskets of groceries and several other premiums were awarded at eight o'clock.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Last Wednesday evening, Mr. F. A. Tuerpe was complimented on his birthday anniversary with a party at his home. Punch, cake, and sandwiches were the refreshments served.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and children, Mr. and Mrs. August Schott, Jr., and son, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Halbardier, Mr. and Mrs. August Tschirhart Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hans and daughter, Mrs. F. A. Tuerpe and the honored guest, Mr. Tuerpe.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, August 10, 1941
8:30 A. M. Sunday school and Bible classes—John Reus, Supt.
9:30 A. M. German divine service. You are most cordially invited to attend any and all the services of our church as per the following schedule for the week. Please bring your friends, let them enjoy the fellowship and cooperate in the ministry of our church.

Luther League meeting Friday night, Aug. 8th, at 8:30 P. M. in the Fous Eldg.

Come, for all things are now ready.

The Church with a welcome.

A. H. FALKENBERG, Pastor.

LADIES AID MEETING

The Ladies Aid Society of Martha met in the Fous Building on July 30, 1941, at 2 P. M. The meeting was conducted in its regular manner.

A resolution to have Mr. Melton Bulgerin from New Braunfels, Texas, a student of the Theological Seminary, to speak here in Castroville on August 17, 1941, was adopted, and also one wishing each and everyone sick a speedy recovery.

The society passed a resolution to buy two Altar coverings, in colors: red and green.

Hostess Mrs. Clarence Haby served a delicious lunch. The hostess for next month's meeting will be Mrs. Mary Halty.

We enjoy having people come out and visit with us during our social hours. We bid you a hearty welcome.

We hope when busy field jobs are over and weather is cooler, that our members will attend the meetings more regularly again.

—Reporter.

EN ROUTE

Once I thought
That soon or late
If I did my lessons well
I would be great.

Now I know
If I can show
A pilgrim how to go
I've learned my lesson well.

There is no time
To be great.

—EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF.

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White woman to live on premises. General housework and help with children. Steady job for long time; regular weekly wages, board and room. MRS. J. TROY HICKMAN, 309 N. High, Uvalde. 1tc.

FOR SALE

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MRS. BROOKS TEER HONORED

The home of Mrs. Edgar Rieber at Upper Hondo was the scene of a miscellaneous hower from 2:30 to 5:00 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, July 31, honoring Mrs. Brooks Teer. Mrs. Teer was before her marriage Miss Gladys Breiten. Hostesses were Mesdames Otto Marquis, Harold Rieber, Jean Ulbrich and Edgar Rieber.

Mrs. Jean Ulbrich was in charge of the bride's book in which about thirty-five guests registered.

Refreshments consisted of chicken salad sandwiches, cookies, mints and punch.

Besides Mrs. Teer's friends of Upper Hondo, other guests present were Mrs. Antje Lindeburg of New Fountain; Mrs. L. J. Schmidt, Hondo; Mrs. Tom Robinson, Mrs. Clyde Ross, Mrs. Plumb, all of Bandera; Mrs. P. C. Jagge and Mrs. Fabian Garrison, Hondo; Mrs. Charles Moore and Mrs. Abe Martin of Middle Verde and Mrs. Raymond Mumme and Mrs. Edgar Monier and daughter, Ezelle, of Tarpley.—Contributed.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY MET

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Mussmann Wednesday, August 6th. The meeting was opened with the song, "Pass Me Not", and the pastor, Rev. Paul Czerkus, spoke briefly on the parable of the mustard seed.

Mrs. Emmet Nester and Mrs. Alfred Breiten were appointed on the flower committee for the month.

The hostess served refreshments of chicken salad, cookies and iced tea to the following members and guests: Mesdames L. A. Mechler, Ben Oefinger, August Schroeder, Amanda Muennink, C. J. Stiegler, C. F. Haass, M. G. Heyen, F. R. Grube, Alfred Breiten, Emmett Nester, Andrew Schuehle, Ernest Wolff, Robert Schulte, Arnold Mussmann, Adam Weyand, Gipson Chapman, and Ed. Buchhorn.

LIONS CLUB HEARS DELEGATE TO CONVENTION

The Hondo Lions Club met at its regular Wednesday noon luncheon August 6th at the Favorite Cafe. Lion A. H. Schweers gave a report of the International Convention held at New Orleans to which he had been appointed delegate. The Texas delegation of 600 Lions met at Beaumont and from there drove to New Orleans in a caravan. There were 48 states and 8 countries represented at the New Orleans convention. Next year it will be held at Toronto, Canada. Two new members were present at the luncheon, R. R. Corder Jr., and Lion Ed. C. Buchhorn, who transferred his membership from Goliad to Hondo.

TAKE OVER MAGNOLIA AGENCY

Elsewhere in this paper is the announcement made by George Brucks and Ernest Boehle that they have taken over the distributorship of Mobilgas and oils, products of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, recently released by Mr. O. H. Miller. They began their service on August 1st and have purchased a tank truck in which to make delivery of their products anywhere in the Hondo district. The agency is known as Brucks & Boehle and headquarters are at the Brucks Feed Store. They invite the continued patronage of former users of Magnolia products and new patronage will be appreciated as well.

WEATHER REPORT

For Hondo, Texas, for month of July, 1941.—Temperature: highest, 97 degrees on 29th and 30th; lowest, 70 on 6th. Rainfall: Total, 2.55 inches; since Jan. 1st, 31.69 inches; average last ten years, 28-plus inches. Four rainy days, 25 clear, 2 part cloudy, 3 cloudy. Light hail on evening of 13th, no damage. Cotton blooming, not setting much fruit, boll weevil. Pastures green.

H. E. HAASS, Vol. Observer.

For Upper Hondo, for month of July, 1941.—Temperature: maximum, 98 degrees on 8th, 27th, 28th and 29th; minimum, 63 degrees on 6th. Total rainfall: 2.61 inches; since Jan. 1, 1941, 22.86 inches. Three clear days, 27 partly cloudy, 1 cloudy; prevailing wind, Southeast. Rain needed for the ranges.

E. S. RIEBER, Cooperative Observer.

MEDINA ELECTRIC CO-OP RECEIVES NEW LOAN

Local officials of the Medina Electric Co-operative, Inc., here in Hondo received word Wednesday of this week from Washington, D. C., that a loan of \$137,000 has been made the Co-operative by the Rural Electrification Administration. This money will be used to build 189 miles of rural lines to serve 357 members in Medina and Uvalde counties.

REV. GARRISON RE-ELECTED AT BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT

Rev. Ira V. Garrison of Hondo was re-elected business manager of the Alto Frio Baptist Encampment Association at the close of the 23rd annual session last week, when officials voted to incorporate the encampment. Rev. Don O. Covington of Kenedy was named president and Rev. R. V. Hickerson of San Antonio was chosen vice president.

FARMERS AND RANCHERS

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CATHOLIC SERVICES

Sunday Masses (summer months)

—8:00 and 10:00 A. M.

Holy Days of Obligation—6:30 and 9:00 A. M.

Communion Sunday for the Holy Name Society—2nd Sunday of every month.

C. GARCIA, Pastor.

BEEES FOR SALE

Eight colonies of bees for sale, all in new boxes, \$50.00 cash or will trade for good milk cow. Also a good new two-wheel trailer for sale. See

3tpd.

H. J. HERMES, Hondo, Texas.

QUIHI NOTES

Announcements for August 10: Sunday School and Bible class at 9, English service at 10 A. M. Luther League program at 7:45 P. M. We invite you cordially for these occasions. —C. W.

POULTRY LEUKOSIS

Poultrymen, after partial success in combatting coccidiosis and pullorum by means of management and feeding developed at experiment stations, are faced with an equally serious hazard to their flocks from a complex disease generally known as fowl leukosis.

L. E. James, assistant poultry husbandman, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at A. & M. College, says the disease, increasing in Texas and other states, is possibly more costly than coccidiosis and pullorum because it causes deaths in growing pullets and laying hens. Other names assigned to it, depending on what part of the chicken's body the lesions are prevalent, include neurolymphomatosis or paralysis, visceral lymphomatosis or leukemia, and lymphomatosis iritis, or "pearly eye."

The causative agent of the disease is a filterable virus. The exact transmission methods have not been determined, James says. Experiment Station finds indicate the virus may be transmitted by actual contact with diseased birds or exposure of new stock to contaminated premises and inheritance of the susceptibility to the causative agent within strains.

Analyzing symptoms, James says the visceral type is the most variable. Birds may be emaciated or in good flesh; they may appear anemic or have good coloring to comb and wattles. Diarrhoea is common in chronic cases and tumor-like infiltrations have been found in practically all organs, principally ovary, liver, spleen and kidney. The paralysis type is characterized by complete or partial paralysis of one or both wings and legs, or a combination of both, and definite symptoms of ocular leukosis as observed by poultrymen is the occurrence of grey eyes in the flock.

James advises, among other methods of eradication, disposal of paralyzed birds as soon as detected, and sale or discarding of grey-eyed individuals. In maintaining the flock, he says, do NOT replace second year hens with young stock from another family strain because older birds have a resistance to disease conditions of the living premises.

Proper management and sanitary measures should be practiced to prevent suitable disease sites, and a complete ration properly balanced and containing the necessary vitamins should be fed to aid the inherited vigor in maintaining a healthful flock.

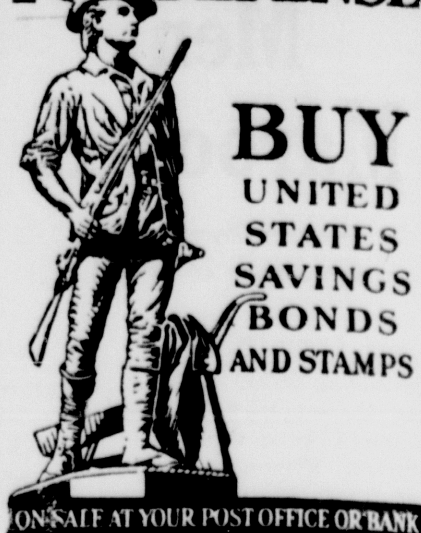
STUDY OF "KNOBS" GIVES CLUES TO FAMILY TREE OF CORN PLANT

"Knobs" on the chromosomes of corn and related plants, revealed when the plant cells are studied under the high power microscope, are providing valuable clues toward solution of the puzzle of the ancestry of corn. Apart from its scientific interest, clear knowledge of the family tree of the corn plant might have great practical value in guiding the breeding into corn of some of the valuable qualities of its wild relatives resistance to disease or drought, for example.

Corn is recognized as virtually a freak in the plant world, because corn can not exist as a wild plant and must depend on man. The "heads" of most grains and grasses shatter and reseed, and plants can grow wild under favorable circumstances, but the "ear" of corn must be shelled—at least—to give the kernels a chance to reproduce.

Botanists regard Tripsacum and teosinte, two grasses of Central America, as ancestors of corn, since both can be crossed with corn. Dr. A. E. Longley, cytologist of the Bureau

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of Plant Industry, has been studying the details of the cells of the three groups of plants and their hybrids. He has found significant differences in the "knobs" or swollen sections in the chromosomes in the cells. "Knob" details of teosinte grasses from southern Guatemala resemble those of Tripsacum, and teosintes from northern Guatemala and Mexico have "knobs" more like corn. Tripsacum has 18 chromosomes, and corn and teosinte each have 10. In a family tree of these related plants, says Longley, the evidence from the "knobs" suggest that Tripsacum stands near the base of the tree, corn at the top, with the southern teosintes as the trunk and the northern strain as a major branch.

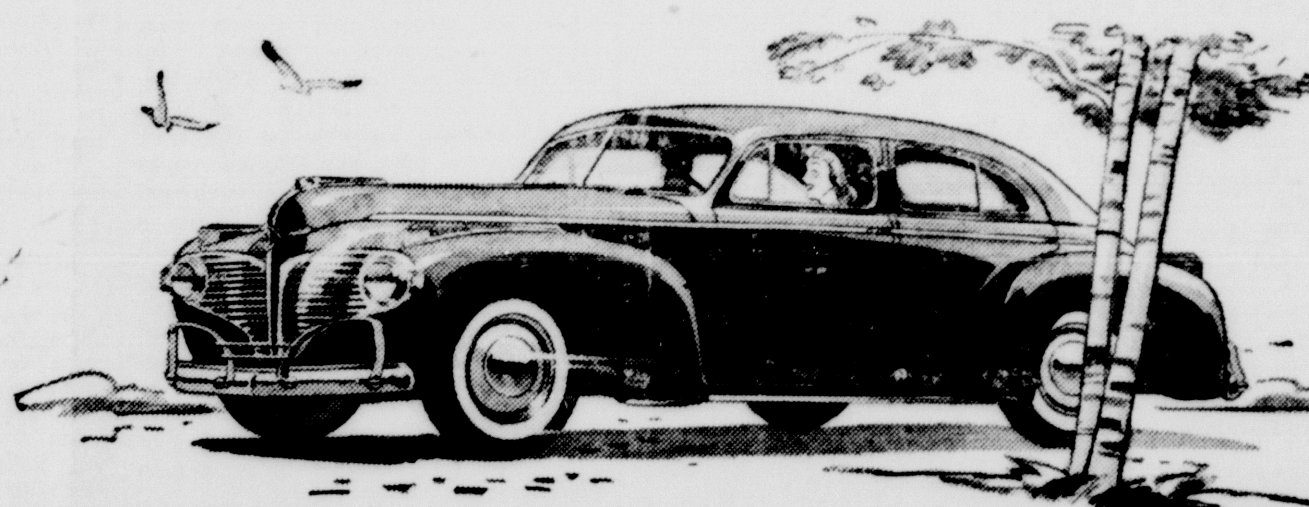
This research suggests that corn may have derived directly from teosinte, but there is also the possibility that some other grass or grasses may have contributed to the building up of the first primitive corn plants, and that these may have since died out. This makes it possible that science never will be able to trace precisely and conclusively the steps that led to the development of the "ear" of corn from the "head" of its grass-like relatives.

RAISING POULTRY "ON SHARES"

Poultry production on a share basis by cropper families as a regular and important source of income to supplement cotton is proving successful for U. A. Funderburk, Chestfield County, S. C., farmer, says Clemson College.

As in growing cotton on a share basis, Mr. Funderburk supervises the production of poultry daily. The croppers own one-half interest in the laying flocks and receive half the returns from eggs or birds sold. Feeds not produced by croppers are bought and paid for on a half-and-half basis. Mr. Funderburk markets the poultry and poultry products weekly in a nearby town, keeps a record of expenses and receipts, and makes a cash settlement monthly with croppers.—The Progressive Farmer.

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